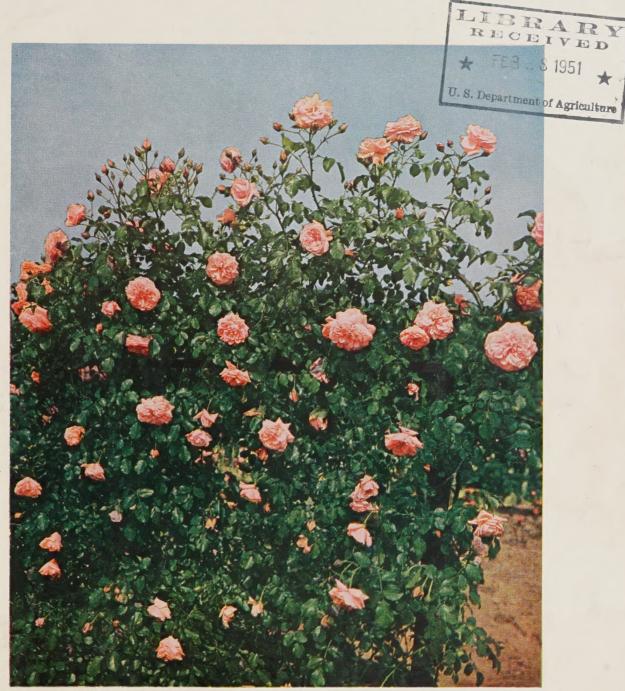
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# Rose Selections

**CHARLOTTE** ARMSTRONG. Pat. 455. Rose Red.

**FORTY-NINER.** Pat. 792. Bicolor. Clear vivid red with pure gold reverse.

**KATHARINE T. MARSHALL.** Pat. 607. Soft salmon-pink.

**LOWELL THOMAS.** Pat. 595. Clear yellow. **MIRANDY.** Pat. 632. Glorious rich crimson.

**NOCTURNE.** Pat. 713. Cardinal red with dark shadings.

**PEACE.** Pat. 591. Creamy yellow with overall flush of pink.

RUBAIYAT. Pat. 758. Deep cerise-pink.

**SAN FERNANDO.** Pat. 785. Glowing current-red.

TALLYHO. Pat. 828. Two-toned carmine-rose.

The "Top Ten" varieties on these pages represent those included in the final vote taken in 1950 to ascertain the very best All-America varieties chosen over a period of more than 10 years. On the pages to follow are other All-America varieties and they all have special merits.

Spaced about 16 to 18 inches apart each way, 10 may be planted in a bed approximately 3 feet wide by 7 feet long. You will like the wide range of sparkling rose colors which will all blend harmoniously in one planting.

Group Offer S51-1
ALL TEN
for \$16.25 Net

(Regular Value \$18.50)

Group Offer S51-1A 3 each of these 10 varieties 30 Plants for \$46.25 net





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LOWELL THOMAS. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



# The Newer EVERBLOOMING ROSES

Rose hybridizers are ever at work endeavoring to produce new and better Roses. All Rose-lovers owe a debt of gratitude to these patient and far-seeing rosarians whose life's work is practically dedicated to Rose improvement.

It is almost impossible for any one firm to grow and offer all of the newer introductions. We have tried hard to include the very best, and naturally the All-America Rose Selections are given first con-

sideration; the symbol refers to these varieties. Eighteen of the ablest judges comprise the "All-America Rose Jury" whose big job it is to test and evaluate both bloom and plant habits of new Roses entered for trials from Coast to Coast. Only a comparatively few are finally chosen for highest annual awards over a two-year period of testing and scoring.

APPLAUSE. (H. C. Swim, 1947.) Pat. 829. Red. Bagatelle Gold Medal, 1949. Another descendant of the famous variety Charlotte Armstrong. Big, fragrant buds of sparkling, dazzling reddish pink opening to cerise. Perfectly shaped, 50 petaled, open blooms heavy with fragrance. Very free blooming. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CALIFORNIA. (Howard & Smith, 1937.)

Pat. 449. Bicolor. Large flowers of bronzy apricot with an iridescent sheen, reverse coppery pink; delicious fragrance. Healthy plants with attractive small foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CAPISTRANO. Pat. 922. Pink. A rich shade of deep, glowing rose-pink. \$2.00 each: 3 for \$5.40.

charlotte armstrong. (W. E. Lammerts, 1940.) Pat. 455. Red. The color is warm red in the bud opening to cerise in hot weather and spectrum-red in cooler weather. Its long and pointed bud opens into a long-lasting, fragrant flower 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Foliage deep green and highly resistant to mildew. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**COUNTESS VANDAL.** (M. Leenders, 1932.) Bicolor. Long-pointed bud and a high-centered fragrant flower of coppery bronze, suffused with soft gold, developing added beauty during its long life. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CRIMSON GLORY. (Kordes, 1935.) Pat. 105. Red. A beautiful crimson flower shaded deep red and mellowed by a velvety nap. Wonderful fragrance. Wherever rosarians congregate, Crimson Glory is always acclaimed the very best dark, velvety crimson-red garden Rose for the United States. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DIAMOND JUBILEE. (E. S. Boerner, 1947.)

Pat. 824. Buff-orange. Flowers very large, double and high centered; color intensified in cool weather. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

**ECLIPSE.** (J. H. Nicolas, 1935.) Pat. 172. Yellow. The very long, slender, and notably elegant yellow buds open to loose flowers with 25 to 30 golden yellow petals, which hold their color well. Fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

FORTY-NINER. (H. C. Swim, 1949.) Pat. 792.
Bicolor. Probably the most brilliantly hued bicolor Rose ever introduced. Its contrasting colors are startling in their brilliance, and yet they blend together beautifully. The inside of the petals is a vivid Oriental red, while the outside is chrome-yellow, changing to straw-yellow. 25 to 40 petals; mildly fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

GOOD NEWS. (Meilland, 1940.) Pat. 426. Peach-pink. Full, perfectly formed, teascented flowers of peach-pink changing to silvery pink. Vigorous grower and constant bloomer. An extra-good Rose. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

HEART'S DESIRE. (Howard & Smith, 1940.)

Pat. 501. Crimson. Intensely fragrant, large, double flowers of rich crimson-red on long stems. Dark green, leathery foliage. 25 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

ner, 1943.) Pat. 607. Coral-pink. Long-pointed coral-pink buds suffused yellow, opening to large, beautifully cupped blooms with a fruity fragrance. Tall, vigorous plants with good dark foliage. 22 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

GROUP OFFER \$51-2

CRIMSON GLORY. Deep red, mellowed by a velvety nap. Pat. 105.

SUTTER'S GOLD. Pat. 885. Bright yellow buds with open blcoms richly shaded orange and reddish gold.

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MISSION BELLS. Pat. 923. Deep salmon and shrimp-pink.

PEACE. Pat. 591. Creamy yellow with overall flush of pink.

ECLIPSE. Pat. 172. Long slender elegant yellow buds opening to golden yellow.



Yellow. Long-pointed buds open to large, very double, fragrant flowers; the center is deep yellow shading out to palest yellow and white. This Rose is vigorous, with handsome foliage and profuse flowers. 50 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

LOWELL THOMAS. (Mallerin, 1943.) Pat. 595. Chrome-yellow. Large, well-formed blooms of chrome-yellow, that are long-lasting even in the sun. Strong plants reaching a height of 3 feet. 35 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

each; 3 for \$4.75.

MANDALAY. Pat. 775. Yellow. The largest of all yellow Roses. A hardy prolific clear, pure golden yellow bloomer of eye-filling splendor all summer. Always in bloom. Long stylish buds. Grows luxuriantly everywhere and should be in every garden. \$2.00 each: 3 for \$5.40.

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MARY MARGARET MCBRIDE. (J. H. Nicolas, 1941.) Pat. 537. Pink. This radiant newcomer will shed its glowing light in your garden all season. Buds deep coral-pink with gold base, opening to high-centered, double, clear pink flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

McGREDY'S SUNSET. Pat. 317. Brilliant orange base overlaid with velvety scarlet hues—the colors of a gorgeous sunset as the name implies. Full-petaled and sweetly fragrant. The plant is exceptionally healthy. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MIRANDY. (W. E. Lammerts, 1945.) Pat. 632. Dark red. Maroon-red buds and blooms of good substance. This new 50-petaled Rose is very fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.





ECLIPSE. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

MISSION BELLS. Pat. 923. Pink. Exceptionally beautiful shade of deep salmon-pink opening to full blooms of clear shrimppink often measuring 5 inches across, which retain their brilliant color and fine form

until the end. Many long-pointed buds on free-branching plants with attractive coppery green foliage. Pleasing alluring tea-scented fragrance. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

**MME. COCHET-COCHET.** (C. Mallerin, 1934.) *Pat.* 129. Pink. Longpointed, coppery pink buds, flushed with orange, open to fragrant, cupped flowers of soft salmon-pink, glistening with a satiny sheen. 20 to 40 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**NEW YORKER.** Pat. 823. Fiery red blooms on long stiff stems. Well formed bud and bloom, very fragrant on sturdy disease resistant plant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

NOCTURNE. (H. C. Swim, 1947.) Pat. 713.

The long streamlined buds and open blooms are cardinal-red with very dark shadings of Chrysanthemum crimson. The bush grows big and sturdy with large abundant semi-glossy foliage. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



RUBAIYAT. (McGredy, 1945.) Pat. 758.

Brilliant red. A red Rose producing a glorious riot of deep scintillating crimson in your garden. Long, shapely buds with a delicate crimson-pink exterior which open slowly, revealing rich, crimson-red-rose color and clusive old Rose fragrance. Extremely hardy, grows extra tall and has luxuriant dark green foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



DIAMOND JUBILEE. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

SAN FERNANDO. (Morris 1948.) Pat. 785. Red. Scarlet and brilliant currant-red best describes its color. Full petalage and good form of both bud and open bloom

good form of both bud and open bloom are all you could ask for on a new red rose. Very fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. **SHADES OF AUTUMN.** (The Brownells, 1943.) Pat. 542. Bicolor. One of the parents of this striking new Rose was Condesa de Sastago, and the orange-copper and carmine shadings are rather similar but the petalage is more gracefully arranged to form the more gracefully arranged to form the delightful color combination. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SHOW GIRL. (W. E. Lammerts, 1946.)

Pat. 646. Pink. Beautiful, perfect,
long buds of deep pink on a big strong plant

which gives great performance in all climates. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SUTTER'S GOLD. Pat. 885. Yellow. This remarkable Rose features exquisite long-pointed, bright yellow buds, richly shaded with orange and red. The opening flower is a lovely high-centered arrangement of up to 30 crisp, heavy-textured petals

crisp, heavy-textured petals and it possesses a fragrance unequaled in any other yellow Rose. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



**TAFFETA.** (W. E. Lammerts, 1947.) Pat. 716. The changeable Rose of many colors. Long-stemmed, perfectly formed, fragrant buds in rich pastel pink, salmon and yellow shades that everyone likes. Big, glossy, mahogany-colored foliage. The open bloom, foliage, and plant habit are considered similar to Mrs. Sam McGredy by many rosarians.

\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. **TALLYHO.** (H. C. Swim, 1949.) Pat.

828. A bi-color but the contrast is not great. Color on the inside of the petals is a varying but always delicities of the petals in a varying but always. delightful and unique shade of pink; outside is rich crimson. Buds before they unfold are deep cardinal-red. Long-stemmed blooms open slowly and well. Large flower; big, free-branching plant. Spicy fragrance. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

WILL ROGERS. (Howard & Smith, 1936.)

Pat. 256. Red. The 3-inch open flowers are
packed with a large number of short and twisted petals of velvety black-crimson. 65 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

## GROUP OFFER No. S51-3

DIAMOND JUBILEE. Pat. 824. Buff-orange. COUNTESS VANDAL. Coppery bronze, suffused soft gold. **MANDALAY.** Pat. 775. The largest of all

yellow roses. **TAFFETA.** Pat. 716. Rich pastel pink, salmon and yellow shadings.

for \$6.45 Net (Regular Value \$7.25)

> COUNTESS VANDAL. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



CRIMSON GLORY. \$1.75 each;



## The Message from the founder—

Rhododendron Time June 15, 1950

Just think of the great gardening progress that has been made through the past fifty years here in America! During my early days in the nursery business amateur gardeners were almost afraid to do any planting on their own. But all that has been changed. Think of the hundreds of thousands of new and comfortable homes with grounds being beautified with the horticultural specialties we nurserymen grow. The success you new gardeners are having with the plants, trees and shrubs from our nurseries is surprising. I sometimes feel that too many of us are afraid to go ahead and plant in an average garden soil because we once were told there is such a thing as the best food or the best treatment when, as a matter of fact, it is almost folly for any one authority to make such arbritary recommendations. Just remember that plants need nourishment and drink just as you and I. Plants, like human beings, can thrive and grow healthy on a wide variety of nutrients or diets. Just give them the kind treatment they naturally deserve.

Not so many years ago roses, of all plants, were supposed to be difficult, but thousands of rose-lovers have now found this is not at all true, and the same thing holds with practically

all the well-grown plants we offer in this catalogue.

I like to feel that the patrons we have been serving all these years are glad to tell others of their satisfaction and happiness. By the same token, we here at Bobbink & Atkins are glad to have you tell us when for some reason you have not achieved the results you have a right to expect from our plants. We are always here to help you in every way.

This is Mr. Bobbink's last personal message to you as we regret to announce with profound sorrow his passing as we go to press.

# Sverblooming

PRICES AS NOTED, LESS QUANTITY DISCOUNT OF 10% FROM THE EACH RATE FOR ANY 50 OR MORE ROSES

From the long list of thousands of varieties we and others have brought into commerce over a period of many years, you will find in this section only those that have survived the test for plant-vigor and blooming habits in most parts of the United States.

The everblooming Roses give beautiful flowers over the longest season, beginning about ten weeks after they are planted in spring and continuing right up until late frosts. Those planted in the fall produce their finest blooms the first year in early summer and continue throughout the season. Practically all Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses are fragrant at some time of the day. Most of them are hardy all over the United States if protected in winter as recommended on the cultural instructions that accompany each shipment.

ALICE STERN. White. (F. Gillot, 1926.) This excellent white Rose we are very proud to have "resurrected," so to speak. Its ideal long-pointed, pure white bud, opening to a full 45-petaled Rose, against the lustrous and bronzy foliage, altogether make it a prize-winning white. Really don't know why it almost went out of commerce, but at any rate we're growing a lot of them for the future. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



**AUTUMN.** Bicolor. (Coddington, 1928.) Compact, very double flowers of burnt-orange streaked with red; moderately fragrant. Closegrowing, upright plants with heavy foliage. Known for superb fall bloom. 70 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BARCELONA. Red. (Kordes, 1932.) Large, full, cup-shaped flowers of velvety blackcrimson. Plants are vigorous and upright. Highly fragrant blooms are continuously produced. 75 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

BETTY UPRICHARD. T. Bicolor. (A. Dickson, 1922.) Semi-double, salmon-pink with coppery reverse; verbena fragrance. Tall, branching. 20 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BREAK O'DAY. Apricot. (The Brownells, 1939.) Orange-apricot, shaded with lighter flesh tints; fragrant. Huge clusters of flowers. A bedding Rose of high merit. 50 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CALEDONIA. White. (Dobbie, 1928.) Large, very double, high-centered flower of pure white, borne singly on long, strong stem. Average plant with leathery, dark green foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHARLES K. DOUGLAS. T. Red. (H. Dickson, 1919.) Large, double, fragrant flowers of flaming scarlet, flushed velvety crimson. This is one of the indispensable garden Roses and produces attractive flowers all through the season. Plants are extra good, with healthy foliage. 24 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

We have purposely omitted reference to comparative plantvigor because practically all of them are found dependable under the widest range of soil and climatic conditions.

PLANTING DIRECTIONS: Average 15 to 18 inches apart each way. This does not mean that Hybrid Tea Roses must be planted in a bed by themselves. It is true that when they are planted in quantities, then one should keep them together to simplify maintenance. However, delightful effects are obtained by planting groups of 3 to 5 near the edges of shrubbery borders, or wherever it may be suitable for you to enjoy the lovely Roses even though it may be in partial shade. Most of the tested varieties in this section will thrive in an ordinary garden soil capable of growing other deciduous plants.

HEIGHTS: Where letter follows name, D indicates 1 to 11/2 feet; T, 3 feet and over. All others are average height, 2 to 21/2 feet.

CHATEAU DE CLOS VOUGEOT. Red. (Pernet-Ducher, 1908.) Large, double flowers of bright velvety red, overlaid dark garnet. Alluring fragrance. Low sprawly plants—bloom freely. 75 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Red. (H. Robinson, 1935.) Bright velvety scarlet-red flowers of good form. Its golden stamens appear as the bloom opens. Damask fragrance. Vigorous, upright grower, free flowering, and does not appear to be troubled by heat. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. T. Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1932.) Cupped flowers of fiery copper inside and rich gold on the reverse. Enticing raspberry fragrance. Vigorous plants. 50 raspberry fragrance. Vigoroupetals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

**CONTRAST.** Bicolor. (Howard & Smith, 1937.) Long-stemmed, high-centered, double, china-pink and bronze flowers with a white and bronze reverse. Vigorous, compact grower and profuse bloomer. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

**DAYLIGHT.** Peach. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Very large, double, fragrant flowers of light peach color emerging from lovely buds. Center petals are soft satiny pink, the outer ones creamy white. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Yellow. Dickson, 1909.) Graceful, tapering buds of golden orange and saffron open to sweetly fragrant flowers of great size and substance. Vigorous, free-blooming plant. A lovely old Rose with delicious Tea fragrance. 17 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. Mr. Bobbink's FAVORITE TWELVE

## **EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES**

For the Rose lover who plants Roses for Roses' sake, regardless of when they were first introduced, I know a planting of these varieties can be depended on to produce dozens of perfect, long-stemmed, fragrant blooms for years to come, beginning about ten weeks after a spring planting; those planted in fall will begin blooming the following summer. They may well be considered the backbone of every good Rose collection. These are the varieties that represent the most vigorous growing plants in our nursery for the past two years so I am certain they will give the most enjoyment with a minimum amount of effort and the least expenditure. An average garden soil able to produce a good crop of annuals, perennials or vegetables will produce good Roses on these easy growing disease-resistant kinds.



**CHRISTOPHER STONE.** Brilliant scarlet-red. **CONDESA DE SASTAGO.** Fiery copper and gold bi-color.

DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Cinnamonpeach.

**EDITH NELLIE PERKINS.** Two-tone pink. Coppery rose and salmon.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Crimson-red.
GOLDEN DAWN. Golden yellow.

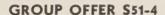
MISS ROWENA THOM. Rose-pink, shaded mauve.

MME. JULES BOUCHE. White.
MRS. P. S. DU PONT. Rich golden yellow.

**POINSETTIA.** Brilliant rich scarlet.

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Bicolor. Yellow marbled scarlet.

THE DOCTOR. Sparkling silvery pink.



12 Lovely Everblooming varieties, including the six illustrated on this page and six others equally as fine.

1 of each (regular value \$18.00) for

\$15.00

## **GROUP OFFER S51-4A**

Three plants of each variety in Offer S51-4

COLLECTION \$43.75 of 36 Plants for



ETOILE DE HOLLANDE

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

MISS ROWENA
THOM
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

N.B. Our very best top-grade

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# Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses



MME. JULES BOUCHE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Bicolor. (P. Oot, 1931.) Spectacular double flowers of cinnamon-peach color; very fragrant. Strong plants with attractive foliage. 35 petals. 1.50 each: 3 for \$4.00.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Pink. (A. Dickson, 1928.) Shapely, two-toned pink flowers produced in great abundance. Color is coppery outside and soft salmon-pink inside. Mildly fragrant. Plants branch freely. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

EDITOR McFARLAND. Pink. (Mallerin, 1927.)
Perfectly formed fragrant flowers of clear
brilliant pink, with strong stems for cutting.
One of the longest-lasting cut-flowers we have. Plants are healthy and bloom freely. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Red. (Verschuren, 1919.) Large, crimson flowers with velvety finish and especially fine fragrance. Branching plants with very large, healthy foliage. We consider it the finest red Rose in the world. The very large, fragrant flowers are superb when in the half-open state. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GOLDEN DAWN. Yellow. (P. Grant, 1929.)
Glorious, double flowers of lemon-yellow, nicely formed and deliciously fragrant. Petals of bud edged carmine. 45 petals. \$1.50 each;

GOLDEN RAPTURE. Yellow. (Kordes, 1933.) Large, high-centered flowers of golden yellow,

with an old-Rose fragrance. Upright plants with large, glossy foliage. Well-formed flower. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ. T. Red. (Geschwind, 1897.) A large, bushy, shrub-like plant with medium-sized double blooms of brilliant crimson, velvety and fragrant. Yields quantities of

KILLARNEY DOUBLE WHITE. White. (A. N. Pierson, 1912.) Long-pointed, snow-white buds typically Killarney; open flowers large, full, and fragrant. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

KILLARNEY QUEEN. Pink. (Budlong, 1912.)
A sport of Killarney with blooms of bright sparkling pink. A little fuller and perhaps stronger in growth than its parent. Unforgettable fragrance. 17 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for

LADY ALICE STANLEY. Pink. (McGredy, 1909.) Very large, silvery pink flowers; sweetly fragrant. Deeply veined foliage. Forty years old and is still one of the best garden Roses. 75 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

LA FRANCE. Pink. (Guillot fils, 1867.) Bright pink flowers with curled petals gleaming with silvery tints; intensely fragrant. The first Hybrid Tea Rose, La France has long held an esteemed place among rosarians. Its truly delightful fragrance and beauty are most enjoyable. 60 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MARCIA STANHOPE. White. (Lilley, 1922.)
A large, perfectly formed, semi-double, pure white Rose with magnificent golden stamens showing through. Good dependable white Roses are still scarce; we consider this one of the best. Very fragrant. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MARGARET ANNE BAXTER. White. (T. Smith, 1927.) Large buds and fragrant, snowwhite flowers, sometimes tinted a soft fleshpink. A fine plant yielding pretty flowers. Also among the best of white Roses. 75 to 100 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

## AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose Communications regarding plant performance must reach us by August first following a fall or spring planting.





LADY ALICE STANLEY. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

Bobbink & Atkins

Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

MARGARET McGREDY. T. Red. (McGredy, 1927.) Double, cup-shaped flowers open orange-scarlet, turning a peculiar shade of carmine-rose. Blooms constantly. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

McGRED Y'S SCARLET. T. Red. (McGredy, 1930.) Large, loosely formed, vivid rose-red flowers. Plants are healthy and large. Rose is not scarlet—it is red, and one of the best. Very slight Tea fragrance. Blooms almost continually. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3

McGRED Y'S YELLOW. Yellow. (McGredy, 1933.) Unfading canary-yellow flower of excellent form with a mass of gold anthers glorifying the center of the flower. Plants vigorous

and free blooming, with dark, glossy, holly-like foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MISS ROWENA THOM. Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1927.) A big Rose on a big plant. Enormous buds open to great flowers of fiery rose shaded with mauve; fragrant. 55 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MME. BUTTERFLY. Pink. (E. G. Hill, 1918.)
Perfectly formed, light pink flowers faintly tinted with gold. Richly perfumed. The ideal form of buds and open blooms of this grand old Hybrid Tea is often considered the standard of excellence by which newer varieties are judged. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



SŒUR THERESE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



## Bobbink & Atkins Roses in the New York Botanical Gardens

To the thousands of Rose lovers who visit the New York Botanical Gardens in the Bronx, New York City, this small view of the Rose garden will revive memories of pleasant hours and a real atmosphere of Roses. Through the unfailing devotion of Mr. Bobbink to the Rose in America, we have donated practically all the Rose plants to this world-famous institution, where they are perfectly mainfamous institution, where they are perfectly maintained by a capable staff. New and improved varieties are added yearly in addition to the older ones still in fine condition since the Garden was first started in 1920. Visitors are always welcome.



## The "Radiance" GROUP OFFER No. S51-5 6 varieties for \$7.85 (Regular value \$9.25) Collection

For vigor of growth and abundance of bloom, the ever-reliable Pink and Red Radiance are still "tops." Here are four more varieties, in all colors and of equal vigor, especially good for the beginner.

MRS. CHARLES BELL. Delicate salmon-pink. MRS. E. P. THOM. Pure unfading yellow McGREDY'S SCARLET, Scarlet-red.

RADIANCE. Silvery pink RED RADIANCE. Deep red.

SOEUR THERESE. Yellow, marbled carmine.

**MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD.** Bicolor. (Gaujard, 1934.) Long, slender buds of nasturtiumjard, 1934.) Long, slender buds of nasturtum-orange opening to sweetly fragrant flowers of nasturtium-buff, with a hint of pale pink at the petal edges. Popular all over the country. An excellent flower for exhibition purposes. 28 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. MME. JULES BOUCHE. White. (Croibier, 1911.) Perfectly formed, long-pointed buds and high-centered flowers of pure white with

a slight pink tint in the center at first; moderately fragrant. Healthy plants, always in bloom. Many rosarians believe this to be the finest white Rose. 34 petals. \$1.50 each;

MME. LEON PAIN. Pink. (P. Guillot, 1904.)
Lovely double, soft flesh-pink flowers of excellent form; moderately fragrant. Plants medium in height. Few other pink Roses can outflower it, outlive it, or compare with its lovely, clean color. 43 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MRS. CHARLES BELL. T. Pink. (Mrs. C. J. Bell, 1917.) A sport of Red Radiance with fragrant flowers of similar form but of an exquisite delicate salmon-pink coloring. only Rose of this color and so distinct and brilliant that one never need hesitate to identify Mrs. Charles Bell. The color may be compared to that well-known salmon-pink peony, Walter Faxon. 27 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MRS. ERSKINE PEMBROKE THOM. Yellow. (Howard & Smith, 1926.) Pure, unfading, fragrant yellow flowers of fine form. Beautiful growth. V each: 3 for \$4.00. Very hardy. 43 petals. \$1.50

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Yellow. (Mallerin, 1929.) Nicely formed buds and double flowers of rich red-gold, almost orange in the depths of petals; spicy fragrance. A yellow Rose which blooms all the time and supplies good flowers. The plants are bushy and the glossy foliage is attractive. 42 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

## ROSE DISCOUNTS and QUANTITY RATES

Deduct 10 per cent from the each rate when ordering 50 or more plants in any combination of varieties chosen.

Prices of All Special Group Offers are NET. The rate for three of a kind is also net.

MRS. SAM McGREDY. Bicolor. (McGredy, 1929.) Color is scarlet-orange, changing to copper as the blooms mature; delicately perfumed. Branching plants with red canes and beautiful bronzy foliage. 40 petals. \$1.50

each; 3 for \$4.00.

NATIONAL FLOWER GUILD. T. Red.
(Mallerin, 1927.) Full, double, fragrant flowers of unfading scarlet-red. Tall, branching plants with healthy, leathery, rich green foliage; quite at home in mixed shrubbery plantings or in back of a white picket fence.

\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. **OPHELIA.** Pink. (W. Paul & Son, 1912.) A creamy white and pale pink bloom with a glint of golden yellow in the folds of its petals; very fragrant. Mme. Butterfly is a sport or direct descendant of Ophelia and better in some respects. Supply of Ophelia very limited. spects. Supply of Ophelia very limited. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. PICTURE. Pink. (McGredy, 1932.) Splendidly

formed, medium-sized flowers of velvety rose-pink, the petals pleasingly reflexed. Well named, as both form and color are very lovely. A fine cutting Rose; unusually free blooming. 34 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. PINK DAWN. Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1935.)

A handsome deep rose-pink flower, opening to lively pink with an orange base; sweetly fragrant. Vigorous, upright habit. One of the best modern pink Roses. 60 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

POINSETTIA. Red. (Howard & Smith, 1938.) Semi-double flowers of a bright rich scarlet

produced freely all season on vigorous plants of fairly tall growth. Rich Tea fragrance. 28 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. T. Bicolor. (Coddington, 1930.) Large flowers of flaming searlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. Vigorous plants with flowers on 2-foot stems. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PRESIDENT MACIA. Pink. (M. Leenders, 1933.) Imagine the longest Rose-bud you ever saw, of a lovely shade of pink, marked with heavy veins of darker pink, and each of the perfect buds on a splendid stem for cutting. When open, the face of the petals is pale flesh warmed with a yellow flush toward the base, the response the right pink of the hold. Fruity the reverse the rich pink of the buds. Fruity scent. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



RADIANCE. T. Pink. (J. Cook, 1908.) Globular, cupped flowers of two-toned pink, light silvery tone inside and deeper on outside Vigorous, free blooming. The standard pink Rose. Deliciously fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RED RADIANCE. T. Red. (Gude Bros., 1916.) A deep red sport of Radiance and exactly like its parent in everything but color; fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for

## Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses, continued

SOEUR THERESE. T. Yellow. (F. Gillot, 1930.) Exquisite buds and semi-double, cupped flowers of golden yellow, with edge of petals spotted madder-carmine.

fragrance. Strong growth, good foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. **SOUTHPORT.** Red. (McGredy, 1933.) A brilliant, unshaded scarlet Rose, with fine Tea scent. Recommended for spectacular effect. One of the most popular scarlet-red Roses on the Pacific Coast but thrives and blooms equally as well here in the East. 18 petals. \$1,50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT. Yellow.

(Soupert & Notting, 1929.) Long, tapering, deep golden yellow buds slowly unfold to superb yellow blooms of perfect form. Unforgettable fragrance. Handsome, bronzy foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SUNTAN. Yellow. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Very large, double, orange-yellow flowers opening to clear yellow. 35 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

TALISMAN. Bicolor. (Montgomery Co., 1929.) Variable flowers ranging from rich scarlet and gold to deep rose and pale yellow; fragrant. One of the first multi-colored Roses. 25 petals.

THE DOCTOR. Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1936.) Immense, long-pointed buds of sparkling pink slowly open to great flowers 5 to 6 inches across of exquisite, satiny, silvery pink. Fragrance is intense. Spreading growth. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

WILLIAM ORR. Dark red. (McGredy, 1930.) The very large, open flowers are deep velvety crimson. The luminous petals are of firm substance and never fade or "blue" even when fully opened. Exceedingly fragrant. This is one of the many Hybrid Teas we have reinstated. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

STARTED ROSES IN POTS

For Local Sales and Display from Mid-May through June (None can be shipped by Express or Parcel Post

Visit the Nursery to see the regular 2-year, No. 1 field-grown Roses established, growing, and budding or blooming in large pots or containers. Transplant them easily and safely to your garden in May and June with assurance of 100% success.

Hundreds of varieties may be viewed in a comparatively small area instead of walking through miles of nursery rows. The varieties available in pots are practically all of those listed in the Everblooming Hybrid Tea, Floribunda, Polyantha, Climbing, and Tree Rose classes, but no others.

## **Prices of Started or Potted Roses**

It must be thoroughly explained that all prices or rates for Roses in this catalogue are for dormant, bare-root plants. It is obvious why there must be an increase in prices to partially compensate for the added labor and material so necessary in caring for Roses in pots. During the winter we put them in large 9-inch Cloverset Pots holding 8 to 10 pounds of good soil. Most of them are sold at the flat rate of \$2.00 each, except certain Patented Roses, where the prices for dormant plants are already \$2.00 or more. Price list for potted Roses available only at the Nursery in May and June.

No catalogue discounts or group offer rates apply to Potted Roses.

Bobbink & Atkins Hybrid Tea Roses—Not Available Elsewhere

These Hybrid Tea Roses of yesterday, so to speak, are still cherished by older Rosarians everywhere. There must be many good reasons why they have proved their value over a period of from twenty to forty years and more. We continue their propagation, not for sentimental reasons, but on the basis of sheer plant performance and beauty.

GROUP OFFER No. S51-6: 6 Varieties for \$8.95 (Regular value \$10.25)

DAYLIGHT. Peach-color, shading to satiny pink.
DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Golden orange and LADY ALICE STANLEY. Large silvery pink.

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LA FRANCE. The first Hybrid Tea Rose, Deliciously fragrant pink.

MARGARET ANN BAXTER. Snow white.

SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT. Deep golden to creamy yellow.

# The Delightful and Dainty Single Roses

large, flat flowers are of the purest crystalline white, and the wine-red stamens tipped with gold accentuate the freshness of this vigorous, hardy single. 12 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

> INNOCENCE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

Monthly-Blooming Hybrid Teas

DAINTY BESS. (Archer, 1925.) Pink. This already old favorite owes its popularity to its delightfully informal appearance, and the silvery salmon-pink petals, surrounding a maroon-colored center, are notched and fluted. This variety has an individuality all its own that makes it outstanding wherever planted. 6 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



CECIL. (B. R. Cant, 1926.) Yellow. Large, single flowers of buttercup-yellow are produced on bushy plants with healthy foliage. Undoubtedly the finest yellow single Rose. 5 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

IRISH FIREFLAME. (A Dickson, 1914.) Orange-crimson flowers shaded pink and gold; pleasingly fragrant. A profuse bloomer, fine for table decoration. 5 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

**ISOBEL.** (McGredy, 1916.) Pink. Flowers open with bronzy tones and develop shades of flaming orange-pink. One of the largest and finest single Roses. Rich, soft green foliage. 5 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

LULU. (Easlea, 1919.) Salmon. Splendid buds of great length and delicacy of form, brilliantly shaded orange-pink and copper, borne on fine stems. Bush is very vigorous, free flowering, and highly resistant to disease. 8 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

VESUVIUS. (McGredy, 1923.) Red. Poppylike flowers of fadeless, glowing fiery crimson. Vigorous, free-flowering plants of bushy habit. Light green foliage of good leathery texture. Remarkable for the rich, dark color that is so rare in the single Roses. Moderate fragrance. 6 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Special Offer of Seven Single Roses

One each of the seven varieties listed. Every one is as charming For \$8.85 and lovely as the one illustrated. (Regular Value \$10.50)

Hybrid Roses-

ALL OF THESE ROSES ARE \$1.50 EACH, LESS QUANTITY DISCOUNT OF 10% FROM THE EACH RATE ON ANY 50 ROSES OR MORE

Perfection in size of flower, fragrance, disease-resistance, and strength of growth predominate in this class, and while most varieties flower only in June and July, many will repeat throughout the summer and fall, a few even repeating heavily enough to rival some of the Hybrid Teas. Varieties which repeat are indicated by an (R).

Their uses are varied. They can be grown as bedding Roses at a height of 3 to 4 feet, or allowed to grow into shrubs up to 6 feet in height. A few of the more vigorous growers can be trained as pillars, giving remarkable displays of bloom in June and July; also by pegging down the long canes they can be used as specimen plants on

lawns, covering considerable area and flowering at every bud on the stem.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 21/2 to 3 feet.

PRUNING: If desired as a bedding plant, cut down to 15 to 18 inches. For shrub type, 2 feet or over, as desired. For pillar Rose, allow to grow to desired height, cut out dead wood or enough to keep plant within bounds.

SUMMER PRUNING: Hybrid Perpetuals sometimes outgrow their allotted room in which case cut the canes back to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. We have noted this summer pruning encourages more repeat blooming.



An arrangement of these fine old and fragrant Hybrid Perpetuals brings real Rose perfume into the home in June.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. (Ledechaux, 1875.)
Pink, shaded a smoky carmine; deliciously fragrant. 50 petals. This is not a "big red" rose which people generally associate with the name American Beauty. See Henry Navard R

BARONESS ROTHSCHILD. (Pernet, 1868.)
 Light pink, daintily tinted with white and pale rose. 40 petals.

**CAPTAIN CHRISTY.** (Lacharme, 1873.) Fleshpink, deepening toward center. Dwarf. R.

● CAPTAIN HAYWARD. (Bennett, 1893.) Scar-● let-crimson; fragrant. Blooms freely in autumn. Considered by many to be the best red Hybrid Perpetual. 30 petals. R.

DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND. (A. Dickson,
 ● 1912.) Long-pointed buds and blooms of warm pink, tinted lemon at base.

FERDINAND PICHARD. (Tanne, 1921.) An ● attractive variegated bloom with petals streaked pink and scarlet. Strong growing and very free flowering. Will sometimes repeat during the summer. R.

**FISHER HOLMES.** (Verdier, 1865.) Red-scarlet beneath a velvety black sheen. 30 petals.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. (P. Lambert, 1901.)

● Magnificent snow-white blooms. Repeats freely when established and pruned properly. The world's most popular white Rose. 35 petals. R.

**GENERAL JACQUEMINOT.** (Roussel, 1853.) Scarlet-crimson buds and clear red flowers; intensely fragrant. R.

**GENERAL WASHINGTON.** (Granger, 1860.) Deep red flowers with crimson-purple shading.

GEORG ARENDS. (W. Hinner, 1910.) A most
exquisite shade of soft pink; exceedingly fragrant. Flower resembles a Hybrid Tea. 25 petals. R.

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GLOIRE DE CHEDANE-GUINOISSEAU. (Chedane-Pajotin, 1907.) Dark velvety crimson. 40 petals. R.

HEINRICH MUNCH. (W. Hinner, 1911.) Immense: ouf pint TA true gorge 95 x-50 to Rose 50 pens. R. **HENRY NEVARD.** (F. Cant, 1924.) Crimsonone scarlet; fine form; sweetly fragrant. 30 petals. This variety is frequently sold as the red American Beauty and properly so. The recurrent blooms resemble in color the popular conception of the old American Beauty greenhouse Rose about which many opinions exist. R.

HON. INA BINGHAM. (A. Dickson, 1905.) Daybreak-pink petals; center of golden stamens. Beautiful. R.

● white, inside petals creamy white. Fully double blooms of excellent form. Blooms through summer. Healthy, bushy plants with few thorns. R.

MME. ALBERT BARBIER. (Barbier, 1925.) Soft fawn-yellow, paling to white; slight fragrance. Dwarf growth. 50 petals. R.

MRS. JOHN LAING. (Bennett, 1887.) Clear 
● pink; double; very sweet. Blooms continually. 45 petals. R.

MRS. R. G. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD. (A.
 Dickson, 1894.) Rosy pink, shading lighter toward base of petals. R.

**OSKAR CORDEL.** (P. Lambert, 1898.) Bright • carmine; deliciously fragrant. A compact plant; remontant. 40 petals. R.

**PAUL NEYRON.** (A. Levet, 1869.) Dark lilac-rose of immense size; remarkable fragrance. 50 petals. R.

**PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN.** (E. Verdier, 1861.) Dark crimson flowers, shaded blackmaroon; delicious fragrance. R.

ROGER LAMBELIN. (Vve. Schwartz, 1890.) Irregular, semi-double, crimson flowers margined or streaked with white.

**SOUV. DE MME. H. THURET.** (Texier, 1922.) Very large, fragrant; salmon-pink with chrome edges. R.

**SYMPHONY.** (C. Weigand.) Pat. 79. Buds blush-pink opening to a lovely pure white tinged pearly pink. Large and handsome..

**TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPOSITION.** (Margottin, 1855.) Large, cherry-red blooms; moderate fragrance. A big bushy plant which produces an enormous crop of blooms. One of the best of the old June Roses.

**ULRICH BRUNNER.** (A. Levet, 1882.) Large; bright carmine-red; very fragrant. 30 petals.

# HYBRID PERPETUAL COLLECTION

Offer No. S51-8

12 Marked ( ) for \$15.50 Net

Should one or two varieties become sold out as the season advances, we reserve the right to use a similar kind.

# Cuiliumda Koses (Large-Flowered Polyanthas)



Floribunda and Polyantha Roses should always be planted in groups of at least three each. Since it is generally understood they are for mass color effect rather than individual specimen blooms, one should realize this effect is never gained when planting only one of a kind.

BABY CHATEAU. (Kordes, Large, brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers in great clusters produced constantly. The plants are neat and compact in growth; very hardy and long-lived with comparatively little care. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BELVEDERE. (Kiese, 1928.) Red. 1954 large, full, dark mit with velver shading. Deapt fire becomer till frost. \$1.50 each; 3 \$1.50.

INDIVIDUAL PRICES AS NOTED, LESS 10% QUANTITY DISCOUNT FROM THE EACH RATE FOR ANY 50 ROSES OR MORE

The word "Floribunda" is used to refer to bush Roses producing clusters of blooms without interruption from early summer until late frosts. They were formerly referred to as "bedding Roses" for mass color effect rather than for specimen blooms.

The Floribunda class, therefore, includes new as well as old varieties of large-flowered or Hybrid Polyanthas, and possible a few Hybrid Teas. They are all very easy to grow and exceptionally hardy. Besides using them informally in Rose Beds, plant Floribundas in permanent groups for color in the foreground of hardy shrub borders.

The day is here when more and more Floribunda Roses are being used for straightline border or hedge planting instead of the more common privet or barberry. These Roses provide good foliage, utility—plus—constant color.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 to 18 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 24 to 30 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead

BETTY PRIOR. (Prior, 1935.) Pat. 340. Pink. Outside of petals dark carmine, inside several shades lighter. Borne in large clusters on strong stems. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

CHARMAINE. (Burbage, 1929.) pleasing shade of the cleanest unfading pink. Flowers large, double, full, and free, borne on long, arching stems. Foliage bright glossy green, almost thornless. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHEERIO. (Kordes, 1940.) A real deep pink Floribunda that blooms abundantly. Individual blooms frequently as large as Hybrid Teas. Extra good. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DAGMAR SPATH. (Wirtz & Eicke, 1936.) Large trusses of pure white flowers produced freely all summer. A sport of Lafayette and a good bedding Rose. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

**DONALD PRIOR.** (Prior, 1934.) Pat. 377. Red. Large clusters of red flowers on branching plants about 3 feet high. Damask fragrance. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

**ELSE POULSEN.** (D. T. Poulsen, 1924.) Pink. Single, bright rose-pink flowers of large size from erect, very thrifty plants. One of the oldest and best pink Floribundas. 3 ft. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

FASHION. Pat. 789. Gold Medal winner, Bagatelle, Paris, 1949; All-America Rose Selection winner, 1950. Pink. The Oriental red buds open gradually to 3½-inch blooms giving us an entirely new Rose color best described as luminous coral-pink suffused with

golden salmon. The plants are very generous with good blooms for early summer until late fall. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

FLORADORA. (Tantau, 1943.) The ovoid buds are pinkish orange opening to a perfect camellia-formed bloom. These blooms are evenly colored a brilliant cinnabar-red touched with orange counter and governing. \$1.25 each. with orange-scarlet and geranium. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

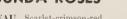
GOLDEN JUBILEE. New Yellow Floribunda.
The many small urn-shaped buds are a pleasing golden-yellow color and open to 3-inch, full-petaled Roses finishing alabaster white. The plants are exceptionally hardy and healthy with beautiful clean foliage. \$1.50 each; 3 for

\$4.00.

GOLDILOCKS. Pat. 672. Yellow. The buds in each of the many clusters are ovoid in shape, resembling miniature Hybrid Teas in form and a rich golden yellow in color, opening to about 3½ inches across. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GRUSS AN AACHEN. (Geduldig, 1909.) Blush.

Orange-red and yellow buds, and large, light flesh-pink and salmon-yellow flowers, fading and finishing creamy white. A fine distinct bedding type, much like a Hybrid Tea. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



DAGMAR SPATH (White Lafayette). White. FASHION, New coral-pink-gold. FLORADORA. Cinnabar-red.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. Clear yellow KING BOREAS. Golden Yellow. PINK SATIN. Satiny pink. PINOCCHIO. Salmon-pink.

WORLD'S FAIR. Velvety black-scarlet red.

## SPECIAL GROUP OFFERS OF FLORIBUNDA ROSES

**GROUP OFFER S51-9** 1 each of 9 varieties for -- \$11.50 Net

**GROUP OFFER S51-10** 

2 each of 9 varieties for (Regular value \$27.10) \$22.00 Net

**GROUP OFFER S51-11** 3 each of 9 varieties for (Regular value \$40.65) \$33.00 Net





MRS. R. M. FINCH. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75



FASHION. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40



PINK SATIN FLORIBUNDA \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

## Large-Flowered Polyanthas, continued

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. (Howard & Smith, 1935.) Red. Sturdy, upright plants grow 2½ to 3 feet. Glowing red blooms, deeply suffused a vivid crimson. Fine bedding Rose; free flowering. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

KIRSTEN POULSEN. (D. T. Poulsen, 1924.) Red. Large, single, light red flowers in great sprays. Tall; shrubby. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

KING BOREAS. (The Brownells, 1940.) Pure yellow. Here we have a real yellow Flori-bunda Rose, tried and tested for years. With its vigorous, healthy plant habits, there is no question about its ability to produce dozens of blooms at a time, continuously from June to November. The individual buds and flowers are almost perfect in form, with plenty of substance and petalage to make them last long either on the plant, as cut-flowers, or as boutonnieres. Even the foliage is beautiful and almost holly-like. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MRS. R. M. FINCH. (Finch, 1923.) Pink. Opening color is clear pink changing to blush, then white, so that a cluster shows all stages. Strong bushy plants  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet. Blooms continuously. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

**NEW WORLD.** Dark red. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Hybridized by M. R. Jacobus, using the fine old Chateau de Clos Vougeot and the newer Crimson Glory as parents; the deep velvety red and maroon colorings in both combined to give us this valuable new variety. Strong, pleasing fragrance. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

PINK SATIN. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Has the color and texture of a lovely pink satin dress. Plants are strong and easy-growing. No sooner is the first crop of blooms produced than the buds for successive ones follow, even during hot summer weather.
Has proved extremely hardy at the New York
Botanical Gardens. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PINOCCHIO. (J. H. Nicolas, 1940.) Pat. 484.
Pink suffused with golden salmon. Long sprays
splendid for corregges and boyanets.

splendid for corsages and bouquets. A very prolific bloomer from late spring until late fall. Fruity fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RED VELVET. (Kordes, 1940.) Vivid crimson, semi-doubler blooms; prolitical in great profusion continuously. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ROSE ELFE. (Kordes, 1937.) Silvery rose-pink. Gardenia-like flowers are about 21/2 inches

summer. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

SALMON SPRAY. (P. Grant, 1923.) Rich salmon-pink, reverse of petals carmine. Tallgrowing; long-stemmed sprays. Makes a wonderful 3 to 4-foot colorful hedge. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

SUMMER SNOW. (C. H. Perkins, 1939.) Pat. 416. Pure white flowers borne in large clusters. Very neat and low-growing and an extremely prolific bloomer. Where masses of white are needed in the foreground, this is the Rose to use. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

WORLD'S FAIR. (Kordes, 1938.) Pat. 362. Red. Large clusters of velvety black-scarlet flowers nearly 4 inches across, with 18 to 20 petals; fragrant. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

## Small-Flowered POLYANTHA ROSES

Quantity discount of 10% from the each rate on any 50 Roses or more

The individual flowers in this class are smaller, though very often the clusters are as large as Floribundas; heights in general are lower so these make good edging plants or low mass plantings. All Polyanthas are as nearly everblooming as Roses can be. They live and bloom year after year with comparatively little attention.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 15 to 18 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.

CAMEO. (de Ruiter, 1932.) Salmon. A distinct shade of shell-pink and salmon, with a glow of gold. A compromise between the pink and the orange-salmon Roses. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

CAROL ANN. (A. Kluis, 1940.) Pat. Salmon-orange. Globe-shaped flowers in large clusters. The plants seldom attain a height of over 1 foot. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

CECILE BRUNNER. (Vve. Ducher, Blush. The "Sweetheart Rose." Small, exquisitely formed bud and flower of light pink with yellow base. It is the perfect Rose for nosegays and corsages. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHATILLON ROSE. (Nonin, 1923.) Bright pink, semi-double blooms touched with orange. Enormous clusters of bloom on nice plants of medium height. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

CRIMSON ROSETTE. (Fred Howard, 1947.) Pat. 901. Red. The name describes both form and color; 50 or more very small petals form a 2-inch rosette. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DICK KOSTER. (D. A. Koster, 1935.) Bright

salmon-rose to orange. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

ELIZABETH HASSEFRAS. A novel Polyantha we imported from Europe last year. Glistening rose-pink, lit up with many stamens showing through the ranunculus- or buttercup-formed individual flowers. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ELLEN POULSEN. (D. T. Poulsen, 1912.) Pink. Large, compact clusters borne profusely on a dwarf, bushy plant 15 to 18 inches high. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

GABRIELLE PRIVAT. Charming individual buds opening to a carmine-rose-pink. The general formation of buds, clusters and plant habit is similar to Cecile Brunner. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

INGRID STANZIG. Hundreds of small flowers in large clusters. Sparkling rose-pink, similar to the Floribunda Else Poulsen but with butter-\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MARGO KOSTER. (Koster, 1935, o isht orange, slightly flushed hink Mb. individual flower article be-skaped. Seldom grows over a bar-fileal for edging. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

MARIE PAVIC. (Alegatiere, 1888.) Flesh-pink white. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

MAUD E. GLADSTONE. (Bees, 1926.) The coral-pink, pointed buds in great clusters open to a beautiful shade of Malmaison pink and chrome-yellow. The most fragrant of all Polyanthas. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

ORANGE TRIUMPH. (Kordes, 1937.) Large,

double, scarlet-orange flowers in huge clusters. Good, glossy foliage. Considered "tops" in this class. \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.

PINKIE. (H. C. Swim.) Pat. 712. Pink. A little pink "baby" Rose. Winner of a 1948 All-America Rose Selection award. Each rounded compact plant (18 to 24 inches) is smothered with the beautiful pink blooms all season. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SUNSHINE. Orange. The small but full-petaled blooms open golden orange, later

overlaid with a soft pink sheen. Plants are dwarf, growing to about a foot. Its pleasing and penetrating fragrance is especially note-worthy—a few blooms will scent the room. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

TRIOMPHE ORLEANAIS. (Peauger, 1912.) Bright cherry-red, long-lasting, almost fade-less, large flowers borne in clusters. \$1.35 each;

YVONNE RABIER. (Turbat, 1910.) G yery close to the ideal white Polyantal because of excellent bush? habit and bright green, glossy \$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.75.



ORANGE TRIUMPH

10 Polyanthas for a Colorful Border OFFER No. S51-12

CECILE BRUNNER. The Sweetheart Rose. Light pink, INGRID STANZIG. Rose pink. ORANGE TRIUMPH. Scarlet-orange. PINKIE. Pink "baby" Rose. SUNSHINE. Golden orange, overlaid with soft pink sheen.

2 each of 10 plants for \$12.25 (Regular value \$14.70)

# LARGE-FLOWERED HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

PRICES AS NOTED. SEE ROSE DISCOUNTS ON PAGE 9

Our collection of Hardy Climbers is probably the most extensive and inclusive in this country, covering all types and colors. They are by far the most popular today. Disease-resistant, this modern type of Climber has the added advantage that many varieties produce flowers on long stems suitable for cutting. No spraying or dusting

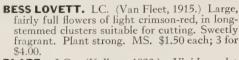
PRUNING OF LARGE-FLOWERED CLIMBERS: These varieties flower best on the older canes, so, contrary to the Rambler type, it is not advisable to cut out the canes which have flowered. Cut back train up only enough young canes to cover the required area. PLANTING DISTANCE: Trellis or wall—6 feet. Pillars—as close

the side shoots which have flowered, remove old worn-out canes, and

as 3 feet, depending on the design.

The letters at the end of descriptions represent the blooming period in the vicinity of New York City; E., from May 25 to June 3; MS., from June 4 to 12; and L., after June 12.

Abbreviations: CHT., Cl. Hybrid Tea; CHP., Cl. Hybrid Perpetual; HFt., Hybrid Foetida; LC., Large-flowered Climber. These refer to the classes.



BLAZE. LC. (Kallay, 1932.) Vivid scarlet flowers identical in color and form with Paul's Scarlet. Remontant under certain conditions. The strain we now grow reblooms later in summer and fall provided you simply pluck or pinch out the June blooms but allow the rest of the stems or laterals to remain on the canes. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BOBBINK'S WHITE CLIMBER. We are introducing this year what we believe will be a very good "Everblooming" White Climber. It is a new variety from the famous hybridizer, Martin Jacobus, and we hope it will prove satisfactory everywhere. It is a pure white, quite double, produced from June until frost when the healthy plants become established. The supply is very limited. \$2.00 each; 3 for

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY. LC. (Hoopes Bro. & Thomas, 1909.) Flowers of rose-pink carmine but not a deep red color which many associate with this name. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CORALIE. LC. (W. Paul, 1919.) Coral. A hardy, erect Climber with glossy foliage. Large, orange-scarlet buds, opening to clear light pink flowers with yellow centers. E. \$1.50 each: 3 for \$4.00.

COUNTESS OF STRADBROKE. CHT. (Clark, 1928.) Very large, double, well shaped, intensely fragrant, dark glowing crimson. intensely fragrant, dark glowing crimson. Free, recurrent bloom. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DOUBLOONS. LC. (Horvath, 1944.) Pat. 152. Yellow. A perfectly hardy yellow Climber developed from our native prairie Rose (Rosa setigera). Large, buff-yellow flowers, generously produced. Unquestionably hardy and rugged. MS. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DR. HUEY. L.C. (Thomas, 1914.) Red. A spectacular Climber yielding an abundance of large, ruffled, maroon-red flowers both singly long stems and in tremendous clusters. There is no color in the Rose kingdom to match this deep, solid, velvety maroon. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DR. W. VAN FLEET. LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) Pink. Abundant long-stemmed, beautifully formed flowers of a soft pale shade of flesh-pink, the equal of a fine Hybrid Tea. Same growth habit and color as the *New Dawn* which is "everblooming" and gradually taking the place of Dr. Van Fleet. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00. **DREAM GIRL.** Pat. 643. Pink. The comparatively new Everblooming Hardy Climbing and Pillar Rose. The outside petals of the opening buds are very light apple blossom pink. It frequently takes several days for the full petalled buds to open and show the salmonpink inside petals which are overlaid with a glorious sheen of fresh apricot. The color grorious sneen of tresh apricot. The color tones actually deepen until the blooms fully open in sunlight. One of the most appealing qualities of Dream Girl is the pleasing, spicy unforgettable fragranges a formattable fragranges as formattable fragrang unforgettable fragrance; a few cut blooms will scent the whole room. Plants established for a year or more will produce a fine crop of flowers in early June followed by a succession of blooms throughout the summer ending with a glorious display in early fall. Please do not expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first year or season after planting (this holds true with practically all Climbing Roses).

The plant is absolutely disease-resistant, healthy, vigorous and actually resents being sprayed or dusted. Use it on trellises, arbors, posts and pillars, for covering fences, stone walls, tree stumps and everywhere Climbing

Roses of moderate growth are so readily adaptable. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. **ELEGANCE.** LC. (Brownell, 1938.) Yellow. Flowers are spectrum-yellow in center, shading to a pale yellow on the outer petals, deepening in color as they open, carried on stiff stems 1 to 3 feet long. Huge exhibition flowers, Hybrid Tea in form. MS. \$1.75 each; 3 for

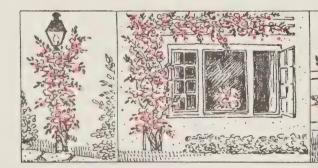


CLIMBING ROSE, GOLDEN GLOW



ALIDA LOVETT. LC. (Van Fleet, 1905.) Bright shell-pink flowers of Hybrid Tea size and quality, shaded with sulphur-yellow at base of petals; faint perfume. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

AMERICAN PILLAR. LC. (Van Fleet, 1902.) A rampant grower with glossy foliage; huge trusses of 2-inch, single flowers of scarlet-rose with large white centers. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.





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GLENN DALE. LC. (Van Fleet, 1927.) White. Lemon-colored buds and very pretty double flowers of pale yellow which quickly turn white. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GLOIRE DE DIJON. CT. (Jacotot, 1853.) Buff-pink blooms with orange shadings toward the center; large, very full, irregularly formed, very fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. Supply exhausted until Fall.

**GOLDEN GLOW.** LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pat. 263. The pure spectrum-yellow Hybrid-Tea-like flowers are  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches in diameter, emitting a Tea fragrance. Perfectly hardy. We consider it about the best all-round yellow Climber. MS. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

**GOLDEN CLIMBER (MRS. ARTHUR CUR-**TISS JAMES). LC. (The Brownells, 1933.)
Pat. 28. Yellow. A strong climbing plant which does not bloom until it is thoroughly established for two or more years, when it produces many perfectly formed, golden yellow flowers of Hybrid Tea quality and fragrance, on 1½ to 2-foot stems. MS. \$1.75 each; 3

INSPIRATION. CI. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1946 for M. R. Jacobus, hybridizer. Inspiration is an appropriate companion Rose for our new Dream Girl, with similar growth habit. It is not too rampant or tall growing and so has many uses on trellises, arbors, and pillars of medium size and height. Successive crops follow from June on through October and show the same sparkling pink tones as found in that fine old Hybrid Tea, Pink Radiance and the once-blooming Mary Wallace climber. It is very hardy, reliable and free

blooming in all sections, same as Dream Girl climber. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

JACOTTE. L.C. (Barbier, 1920.) Orange. Foliage is glossy and holly-like. Flowers large, semi-double, brilliant apricot-orange; fragrant. Blooms 3 inches. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

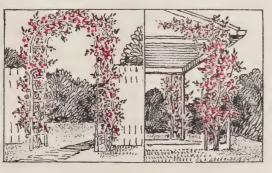
MARY LOVETT. LC. (Van Fleet, 1915.)
Large handsome flowers, pure waxy white, scented, broad petaled. Occasionally flowers in fall. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MARY WALLACE. LC. (Van Fleet, 1924.)
Pink. Very strong growth. Large, bright pink flowers with a luminous sheen. MS. \$1.50

each; 3 for \$4.00.



CLIMBING ROSE, BLAZE



MERCEDES GALLART. LC. (Munne, 1932.) Red. Everblooming. The first crop in June is cerise-red changing to magenta, but in midsummer and autumn the blooms are clear bright crimson, intensely fragrant. Hardy. E. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

**MERMAID.** LC. (W. Paul, 1918.) Unspeakably beautiful single flowers of great size, pure ivory-white, with cream and lemon center and an immense cluster of stamens. Blooms steadily throughout the season, producing clusters of buds on the tips of the new growth. Foliage glistening, almost evergreen. winter protection in the North. Do not prune this Rose—let it grow. Under favorable conditions it climbs, but is best as a rambling shrub. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MISS FLORA MITTEN. LC. (T. A. Lawrenson, 1913.) Single flowers, 3 inches across, of soft delightful pink with yellow stamens. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MME. GREGOIRE STAECHELIN. LC. (P. Dot, 1927.) Pink. Also called "Spanish Beauty." Huge, fragrant, delicate pink flowers, stained crimton. Blooms very early. E. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MRS. WHITMAN CROSS. LC. (Cross and Hansen; introduced by Bobbink & Atkins.) The unusual vivid orange colors, with an overlaid pinkish sheen, almost striped at times, are beautiful to behold. Reblooms in late summer and fall. The customers' natural enthusiasm for this Rose of unusual coloring has increased each year since we introduced it in 1943. This year, for the first time, we expect to have enough plants to satisfy this natural and gratifying demand. It really is a beauty! MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MME. SANCY DE PARABERE. LC. (Bonnet, 1875.) Vigorous, thornless Boursault Climber with semi-double, vivid rose flowers. Very early flowering and exceedingly hardy. The earliest blooming Climber. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

NEW DAWN. LC. (Somerset Rose Nursery, Apple-blossom-pink. Everblooming. The first hardy everblooming Climber. It is a sport of the well-known Dr. W. Van Fleet which only blooms in June; New Dawn is destined to take its place because of strong everblooming characteristics and equally as vigorous and healthy growth habit. L. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

NUBIAN. CHP. (Bobbink & Atkins, 1937.) Dark velvety red. A spectacular Climber and pillar with 6 to 8-foot canes yielding an abundance of dark red, almost black flowers in tremendous clusters. Reasonably hardy with us and a novelty Climber for the collector to add for new adventure. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ORANGE EVERGLOW. LC. (The Brownells, 1942.) Pat. 505. Copper-yellow blooms. The large flowers are about 3 inches across when plant is established. Foliage is glossy and almost evergreen. A great addition to the other Brownell Climbers. Repeat blooms in August and September. MS. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

PAUL'S LEMON PILLAR. CHT. Son, 1915.) Pale Iemon buds and faint sulphur-yellow flowers. Double, well formed, and Strong growth. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

A Long Blooming Season for Climbing Roses Achieved by a Selection of Varieties from this Choice List

Most planters of Roses do not realize the spread of bloom periods in this class of Hardy Climbers. We have indicated the approximate bloom dates from about the middle of May until early July. In addition, there are several reliable everblooming varieties that extend the season well into September and October.

All Rose prices in this catalogue are for 2-year, No. 1 field-grown, dormant Roses.



Blooms from the new red everblooming climber, TEMPTATION, that were cut and photographed in September showing its strong reblooming characteristics.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. LC. (W. Paul, 1916.) Intensely red flowers, borne in loose clusters. Best used as a pillar because of its restricted height. Unquestionably hardy and reliable. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PIKE'S PEAK. LC. A new climbing or pillar Rose originated by crossing the native wild species Rose of Colorado with the Hybrid Tea, Hollywood. It produces an abundant crop of old-rose-pink, semi-double blooms with shades of brilliant red and yellow; has a long bloom period of about six weeks during late May and June. The long, graceful branches are literally packed with 3-inch blooms from top to bottom—a spectacular sight, indeed. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PRIMROSE. LC. (Barbier, 1929.) Large double flowers of soft rich primrose-yellow, borne in clusters of four to five on an extremely vigorous plant. L. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SILVER MOON. LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) White. Handsome foliage and big, saucer-shaped, moon-white flowers with brilliant yellow centers. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

**TEMPTATION.** LC. Everblooming. The NEW Rose-red Climber introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1950. Like its predecessors, Dream Girl and Inspiration, it is very hardly and absolutely disease-resistant and actually resents spraying or dusting. It grows vigor-ously but not too rampant. The blooms, borne both on single stems and in clusters are very full petaled and long-lasting both in and out-ofdoors. When it is established for a year or two, the strong re-blooming characteristics and distinctive new red color tones will please the lover of Climbing Roses. It is in the Fall of the year, when practically all of the older climbers have no blooms, that this remarkable new rose proves its worth. For it is then it produces those luscious long-stemmed, vivid red blooms that everyone loves. As with Dream Girl and others in this class, we ask you not to expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first June after planting.

The question asked us so many times is "Do you really have a good red Everblooming Climber?" Now we have the answer—"plant TEMPTATION." \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ZEPHIRINE DROUHIN. Bourbon. (Bizot, 1868.) Vivid pink, well-filled flowers of fine shape, exquisitely perfumed. Blooms freely in spring and sparingly in fall. Attractive plants with thornless, reddened canes and healthy foliage. E. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

## CLIMBING HYBRID TEAS

All these Climbing Roses are \$1.75 each. See Rose Discounts, page 9

In Southern States they are glorious, bearing full crops of Hybrid Tea flowers all season. In the Middle Atlantic States and farther north, they do not produce recurrent blooms after May or June and, furthermore, are not reliably hardy. But now since there are quite a few reliably hardy climbers offered under the large-flowered climber

section, we suggest that gardeners in the north without too much experience, confine their selection to these and avoid possible disappointment.

PRUNING: Retain old and new wood, cutting out only dead or exhausted wood.

climbing dainty bess. (van Barneveld, 1935.) Pink. A climbing sport of the beautiful Hybrid Tea, Dainty Bess. Bears clusters of single flowers exactly like its parent. Broad, silvery pink petals, notched and fluted, accented with a cluster of wine-red stamens. Needs protection north of Washington. \$1.75 each: 3 for \$4.75.

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CLIMBING ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. (M. Leenders, 1931.) Red. Climbing form of the celebrated Etoile de Hollande. Brilliant red blooms, fully double, on a sturdy and reliable plant. Blooms recurrently all season. Fra-

grance adds to its desirability. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**CLIMBING LADY ASHTOWN.** (Bradley, 1909.) Pink flowers lighted with a sunny yellow glow. Fine high-centered blooms. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING PRESIDENT HOOVER. (B. R. Cant, 1937.) Bicolor. Large flowers, flaming scarlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**CLIMBING RADIANCE.** (W. D. Griffing, 1926.) Pink. Globular, cupped flowers of a two-toned pink—light silvery tone on the inside and deeper on the outside. Plant is a vigorous Climber that blooms freely. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING RED RADIANCE. (Pacific Rose Co., 1927.) Red. A strong Climber with globular flowers like the original. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

**CLIMBING TALISMAN.** (Western Rose Co., 1930.) Bicolor. Variable flowers like the original bush Hybrid Tea, in shades of gold, flame and copper, on a good climbing plant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

## **ROSE PRICES**

To obtain the "three rate," you must order three or more of one variety to one shipping address.

## HARDY RAMBLER ROSES (Blooms in large clusters)



CHEVY CHASE. Pat. 443. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

## Patience is a Virtue

There is some misunderstanding about the bloom habits of newly planted Climbers, Shrub Roses, Rugosas and most of the Old-fashioned Roses in general. Nurserymen do not expect them to bloom the first season they are planted. It requires at least a full growing year before these fine old Roses become established and produce branches we call flowering wood. It frequently happens, however, that some of them do bloom the first season after planting although these flowers are usually small and certainly cannot be the typical form and color. The misunderstanding therefore arises when one is too hasty in forming opinions about the true habits and colors of varieties as we describe them. We ask your patience and kind indulgence in this whole matter. We have explained this personally to hundreds of customers in the past who found our predictions were correct and their patience rewarded in later years.

While the larger-flowered Climbing Roses seem to be far more popular at present than the true Ramblers, we do not like to see them overlooked because, in our opinion, there is nothing finer than masses of charming clustered Ramblers. It was true that some of the Ramblers were susceptible to mildew, but that is not serious since we have eliminated them.

PRUNING OF RAMBLERS: Cut out, in August or September, the canes which have flowered, and train up young canes produced from base.

Training a Rambler or Climber on a post as a "Pillar Rose"



BLOOMFIELD COURAGE. (Capt. Thomas, 1925.) A strong-growing many-caned Rambler to 20 feet or more. The plant is covered in late May and early June with myriads of small single flowers of blackish crimson surrounding white eyes. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CHEVY CHASE. (N. J. Hansen, 1939.) Pat. 443. Red. To those who desire color in masses there is nothing to compete with a Rambler Rose, and this history-making Rose is the finest of the great Rambler family. Bloom lasts for several weeks during May and June in this section, the rich crimson color changing slowly with age but never becoming objectionable. It is positively mildew-proof so the out-of-bloom appearance of so many Ramblers doesn't bother Chevy Chase. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

pink flowers are borne in huge trusses. An excellent bank-cover. It is one of the loveliest of all Climbers when in full bloom, and worthy in spite of its mildew. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GHISLAINE DE FELIGONDE. (Turbat, 1916.) One of the nicest of the restrained-growth Ramblers. It will make 8 to 10-foot, almost thornless canes which bear heavy crops of shapely rich yellow buds changing slowly to creamy white when fully open. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

lle DE FRANCE. (Nonin, 1922.) Enormous clusters of semi-double, light crimson-pink flowers with white centers and cluster of sparkling golden stamens. Strong, vigorous growth and very profuse flowering. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MINNEHAHA. (Walsh, 1905.) Pink. Bright pink rosette-like flowers borne in clusters on stems of average length. Foliage small glossy, dark green and free from mildew. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SANDERS WHITE. (Sanders, 1912.) Small, glistening white blooms of double rosette form, sweetly perfumed, borne in clusters on a strong, free-blooming plant which is both healthy and hardy. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

**SEVEN SISTERS.** The late Mr. Bunyard, famous British rosarian, sent us plants of the true variety just before he died. We succeeded in propagating a limited supply of this famous old Rose that all collectors cherish. Lilac-rose, soft pink, and nearly white flowers in the same clusters. \$3.00 each.

**THELMA.** (Easlea, 1927.) Pink. Very striking Climber with clusters of large, delicate coralpink flowers, borne in great abundance. No mildew. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

## TRAILING ROSES

The Trailers are Climbing Roses with slender pliable canes enabling them to lie close to the ground. Their shiny foliage and beautiful flowers make these Roses ideal covers for banks, hillsides and waste places.

CARPET OF GOLD. LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) Yellow. A creeping or trailing plant running close to the ground and covering itself with brilliant yellow, double, fragrant flowers 2 to 3 inches across. Ideal for banks. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

CORAL CREEPER. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Apricot. Deep red buds open a lovely shade of apricot-orange, fading to light pink. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

CREEPING EVERBLOOM. LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) Red. Fragrant, duale red flowers in clusters on tance 3 bet leng which lie on the ground. Blooms freely through summer and fall. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

FREDERICK S. PECK. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pat. 419. Pink. Semi-double, deep grenadine-pink blooms with yellow tints in center appear singly and in clusters on slightly arched stems high above the attractive foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

LITTLE COMPTON CREEPER. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pink. Single, deep rose-pink blooms in large clusters cover the dark shiny foliage. If blooms are not removed, it will be covered in fall with yellow-orange to red hips. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$5.00.

MAX GRAF. HRug. (Bowditch, 1919.) Rink. Handsome foliage and sprays of large, single, shining pink flowers. Extra hardy; fine for covering exposed banks. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.25 each; 10 for \$11.00.

RUGOSA REPENS ALBA (R. Pauli). Species. White. Fine trailer with glossy foliage and big, snowy flowers in clusters. Vigorous and long-lived. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.25 each; 10 for \$11.00.

WICHURAIANA (The Memorial Rose). Species. White. A matted creeper with glossy, almost evergreen, small, shiny foliage. Sprays of small, white, fragrant flowers. 85 cts. each; 10 for \$7.50; 25 for \$16.50 net; 50 for \$30.00

## AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose communications regarding plant per-formance must reach us by August 1st following the fall or spring planting.



SANDERS WHITE



ROSA WICHURAIANA, The Memorial Rose

For covering walls, banks, or steep slopes, this useful creeping or trailing Rose is always effective. It is now available in quantities at moderate rates. Spaced 4 to 5 feet apart each way and planted in sun or partial shade, it will grow and spread very easily in just ordinary soil and with practically no care when once established. The flowers are followed by attractive fruits.

## PEMBERTON PILLAR OR SHRUB ROSES

These fine old introductions of The Rev. J. H. Pemberton, classed as Hybrid Musk Roses, have long been a specialty with us. When Rose-lovers once get to know them, they admire and love them for their repeat-blooming qualities and their strong shrubby habit of growth. They have a long blooming period during June and July, and then again throughout the summer and fall seasons. Thrive almost anywhere and require very little care. Their heights range from 4 to 8 feet and are therefore valuable for pillars, fences, or as strong shrubs without support, provided they are kept pruned lightly and within bounds. A few varieties originated by Capt. Thomas and Peter Lambert are included with the Pembertons because their growth and bloom habits are similar.

PRUNING: Retain old wood and new wood. Cut out only dead and surplus wood. PLANTING DISTANCE: 3 to 4 feet apart.

**BISHOP DARLINGTON.** (Capt. Thomas, 1926.) Pink. Large, semi-double flowers of lovely flesh-pink suffused with yellow at base of petals. Not a pillar, but a self supporting, strong, shrub like plant growing 3 to 4 feet high and as wide. Good foliage; a profuse and continuous bloomer. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

BLOOMFIELD DAINTY. (Capt. Thomas, 1924.) Orange-yellow buds and medium-sized single flowers of clear canary-yellow. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CORNELIA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1925.) Pink. Very double flowers, about 3 inches across, of strawberry-pink, flushed yellow, borne in abundant, flat sprays. Vigorous shrub habit or pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CLYTEMNESTRA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1915.)
Coppery buds; small, ruffled, open blooms change to a light buff-pink. Flexible pillar or

trailer. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

EVA. (Kordes, 1933.) Red. Bud large, carminered; flower large, semi-double, open, glowing carmine-red with white center. Profuse periodic bloomer all season. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MRS. GEORGE C. THOMAS. (Capt. Thomas, 1921.) Orange buds, opening to light salmonpink, semi-double flowers 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across, lighter in the center, suffused with a yellow glow. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. FELICIA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1928.) Pink buds, opening to semi-double flowers of blush-pink, tinged with white, borne in clusters. or shrub habit. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PENELOPE. (J. H. Pemberton, 1924.) Blush. A perpetual-flowering cluster Rose of shrub and pillar habit. The flowers are shell-pink, but turn pure white shading to lemon around centers as they age. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

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PROSPERITY. (J. H. Pemberton, 1919.)

White, rosette-like flowers, tinted with pale pink. Borne in profuse, erect clusters. Vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Pillar to 6 to 8 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

REICHSPRASIDENT VON HINDENBURG.

(P. Lambert, 1933.) A large, brilliant pink flower with an overcast of sal for. Fragrant. Used as a low pillar, it will produce flowers from large spring until frost. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. 3 for \$5.40.

VANITY. (J. H. Pemberton, 1920.) Large, rose-pink flowers of charming form, almost single, fragrant, and produced in clusters. Plant is everblooming and vigorous up to 7 to 8 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

> We suggest you join The American Rose Society Write to us for full particulars

## RUGOSA ROSES and THEIR HYBRIDS



A HEDGE OF RUGOSA ROSES

**AGNES.** (Saunders, 1900.) Coppery yellow buds becoming pale amber-gold; sweetly fragrant. Freely produced. 6 ft. 25% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

BERGERS ERFOLG. Hybrid Rugosa. (V. Berger, 1925.) Very large flowers, 3 to 4 inches in diameter, borne singly and in clusters. The showy yellow stamens are very effective against the fiery red petals. Pleasingly fragrant. Remontant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

BLANC DOUBLE DE COUBERT. (Cochet-Cochet, 1892.) Snowy white, double flowers. 4 to 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. The best double white Rugosa and practically the same habits as R. alba plena. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**DELICATA.** (Cooling, 1898.) Purple-mauve. Blooms light mallow-purple, shading into deeper tones; double, large, and showy. 5 ft. Remontant. 100% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

F. J. GROOTENDORST. (de Goey, 1918.) Red. Small, bright red, fringed flowers. Large clusters freely produced throughout the growing season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

HANSA. (Schaum, 1905.) Red. Double, beautiful violet-red flowers of large size, freely produced on a strong, typically Rugosa plant. Hardy and dependable. 100% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

NOVA ZEMBLA. (Mees, 1907.) Large, very double, pink blooms opening pearly white. Very fragrant. 6 ft. Remontant. 75% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

PINK GROOTENDORST. (Grootendorst, 1923.) Pink. Clusters of small, fringed, light shell-pink, carnation-like blooms the entire flowering season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

ROSERAIE DE L'HAY. (Cochet-Cochet, 1901.) Dark red, double flowers with a most pleasing perfume. 4 to 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**RUGOSA.** Rosy red. Large, single flowers in shades of rosy crimson. Repeats during the season. Attractive large red berries. 100%. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RUGOSA ALBA. A white form of Rugosa. Remontant. 5 ft. 100%. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RUGOSA ALBO-PLENA. White. A well-shaped double form of Rugosa Alba. Highly recommended. 4 ft. 100%. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Rugosa Roses are particularly valuable for their hardiness, healthiness, and ability to thrive under most adverse conditions of soil and climate, withstanding almost anything. They do not require spraying or dusting but actually resent it. Plant in just an average deeply-spaded garden soil; elaborate soil preparation is not advisable or necessary.

They are distinguished by erect, spiny stems, and by their tough, curiously wrinkled or rugose foliage. Particularly valuable for hedges or shrubberies in seashore gardens and regions where the winters are very severe. Some are remontant, as noted, meaning that intermittent blooms are produced after the June crop.

Some of the Hybrids do not have the true Rugosa foliage, but this does not mean that they are not as hardy. Nothing could be hardier than the Grootendorst types, yet their foliage does not appear to have much Rugosa in it. For your guidance we have given what in our opinion is the comparative percentage of Rugosa as compared with "the type," but this refers only to the foliage.

PLANTING DISTANCES: 3 to 4 feet apart.

PRUNING: Shrub types—cut out old canes and shorten new canes to 4 feet. Pillars—cut out only oldest canes.

HEIGHT: 4 to 5 feet, except where noted.



RUSKIN. (Van Fleet, 1928.) Red. Buds and flowers resemble a deep crimson-red Hybrid Perpetual with rugosa fragrance. Remontant. 4 to 5 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SARAH VAN FLEET.
(Van Fleet, 1926.) Buds and flowers vivid rosepink; fragrant. Blooms all summer and fall, therefore remontant. 7 to 8 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SCHNEEZWERG. (P. Lambert, 1912.) White. Half-double, snow-white flowers, with golden stamens. Blooms spring to frost. 3 to 4 ft. 80% Rugosa. \$1.75 each, 3 for \$4.75

SIR THOMAS LIPTON. (Van Fleet, 1990.) Snowy white flowers of good size and unusual dyahiy. Blooms freely all season. 6 to 8 ft. 75%. Rugosa. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

AGNES, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

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STELLA POLARIS. (Jensen, 1900.) 1 targe, single, cilvery white flowers. Blooms freely on Lypical Rugosa plant. 4 ft. Remontant. 100%. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



PINK GROOTENDORST. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

AUTUMN BOUQUET. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

AUTUMN BOUQUET. New. An everblooming pink shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins for the first time in Spring 1948 for M. R. Jacobus, hybridizer. It is seldom that a good husky shrub Rose, attaining a height of about 4 feet, produces successive crops of glorious blooms from June right on through October. The color of both bud and open bloom is a pronounced carmine-pink and borne singly on long stems as

well as in clusters at certain times. Perhaps the color is not so unusual but a shrub Rose of this type has many uses in a border of other flowering shrubs where you want a good Rose against a background of deciduous foliage. One of the chief attributes of Autumn Bouquet is its very pleasing and pronounced fragrance at all times. All the experts who saw the rows of husky 3 to 4-foot plants in our nursery the past summers decided it was a novelty variety which holds great promise for the future. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

BELINDA. (Bentall, 1936.) Large trusses of carmine-pink blooms. The individual truss on plants established for several years is formed exactly like the perennial phlox and is the only Rose we know showing this novel characteristic. Upright, with beautiful foliage. Suitable for a hedge, bedding, or short pillar; 3 to 4 feet. From a distance, these fine trusses give the same general effect and color of the well-known Crape Myrtle grown in the South. Then again, some have compared it to a giant polyantha bush rose with enormous clusters. Remontant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER. (Muller, 1899.) Very large flowers of light silvery pink. A pillar Rose. 8 to 9 ft. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75. DR. ECKENER. (Berger, 1930.) Bicolor. Large, fragrant, semi-double flowers of coppery rose and golden yellow; very fragrant. Really a Hybrid Tea flower on a shrubby plant. Very hardy and extra good in every other respect. Remontant. 5 to 6 ft. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

ORATAM. (M. R. Jacobus, 1939.) Pat. 257.
A comparatively new Hybrid Damask. Orange-copper. Grows 5 to 6 feet high and produces dozens of blooms with delicious Damask fragrance. Use it as a specimen shrub or as a solid border or hedge planting to produce a most attractive color effect in June. Foliage is exceptionally beautiful and handsome. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

## SHRUB ROSES OTHER THAN RUGOSAS

This very interesting page of Rose varieties—some new, some old—have long been special ties with Bobbink & Atkins. Charming landscape effects are achieved with these Roses when they are planted in shrubbery borders or in small groups where Roses are desired instead of the more common flowering shrubs. Like the true Rugosas, they do not require special soil preparation, spraying, or coddling of any kind. They are practically as hardy and disease-resistant as the Rugosas but offer a wider color-range and more variation in height.

Many are everblooming or remontant, as noted, producing plenty of good blooms intermittently after the June crop.

Space them about 3 to 4 feet apart; prune or cut out the old and worn-cut canes after the third or fourth year but very little pruning is required the first two years. If occasional canes or stout branches get too tall, prune them to the desired height and width any time it suits you.

## GROUP OFFER S51-14: 3 AUTUMN BOUQUET and 3 FRAGRANT BEAUTY 6 Big Husky Plants for \$9.75 (Regular Value \$10.80)

The new everblooming "Shrub" Roses producing dozens of individual blooms that rival the finest Hybrid Teas in form and color. Both are very fragrant, too. Plant and treat them as you would the average flowering shrub. No spraying or coddling necessary.



FRAGRANT BEAUTY. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

FRAGRANT BEAUTY. New. An everblooming carmine-red Shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1950. This very hardy Rose quickly attains a height of about 4 to 5 feet and produces dozens of glorious blooms for cutting and landscape effect from June right on through October. Fragrant Beauty is a close relative to our new pink Autumn Bouquet which has already won the highest praises everywhere. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

GOLDEN KING. (Beckwith, 1935.) The large, semi-double, pale yellow flowers are richly fragrant with old-Rose perfume. The plant is slender, grows 6 to 8 feet tall. Remontant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

HON. LADY LINDSAY. (Niels J. Hansen, 1938.) An almost everblooming shrub Rose growing about 3 feet high and wide. The stylish, tapering buds are buff-yellow with golden pink predominating as they age and open. Excellent for dooryard planting or in front of taller shrubs in a border. Our best low shrubby Rose. 30 to 40 petals. Remontant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

**HUGONIS** (Rosa Hugonis). (China.) Light yellow flowers, 2 inches across. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall. Charming early-flowering shrub. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

NEVADA. (P. Dot, 1939.) White Large, single flowers, pink or apricotin bud, opening to white. Mr. Bobbink considers this one of the most interesting and fascinating of all shrub Roses. Remontant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.





The Moss Rose BLANCHE MOREAU. (Moreau-Robert, 1880.) Heavily mossed buds and white, double flowers, tinged with pink in the center, borne

in clusters. Very vigorous and free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CAPITAINE JOHN INGRAM. (Laffay, 1854.) Dark red double blooms of medium size. The lovely buds are well mossed. Vigorous free-blooming plant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

COMTESSE DE MURINAIS. (Vibert, 1843.) Buds blush-pink opening to chaste white, tinged pink at edge of petals. Very refined and

tinged pink at edge of petals. Very refined and refreshing. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CRAMOISI VELOUTE. Large, double blooms of dark scarlet. One of the few good "red" Moss Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CRESTED MOSS. It has been called Cristata and Chapeau de Napoleon. Although it is not a true Moss, the calyx of the bloom is so remarkably fringed and frilled that it cannot be assigned to any other class. The flowers are assigned to any other class. The flowers are large, full, and bright rose-pink. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

DUCHESSE D'ISTRIE. (Laffay, 1855.) Large, double, bright rosy pink flowers, borne in clusters. This is the variety that all collectors of Old-Fashioned Roses consider very much worth while. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

GLOIRE DES MOUSSEUX. (Laffay, 1852.) Old authorities claimed this to be finest of all Mosses. The buds are splendidly mossed and the imbricated pink flowers are very lovely. Plants are vigorous and productive. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

HENRI MARTIN. (Laffay, 1863.) Shapely mossed buds and fairly large shining crimson, semi-double flowers. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

JEANNE DE MONTFORT. (Robert, 1851 or 1854.) Large, flat, semi-double flowers of clear pink, edged with silver. A tall, vigorous grower; very free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**LA NEIGE.** (Moranville, 1905.) Pure white flowers of medium size, double and sweet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

LANEII (LANE'S MOSS). (Raised by Laffay, 1846.) Large, full, well-mossed deep pink flowers. Very fine. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

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quire little feeding after once they are planted in a good average soil with plenty of natural organic matter. Spraying or dusting them is

CULTURE: They realso unnecessary. Of course, they are winter-hardy everywhere.



Showing the characteristics of the true old Moss Rose. Varieties in many colors are described on this page.

LOUIS GIMARD. A very good, full, true bright pink Moss Rose. The long stems are heavily clothed with moss and it is a free bloomer and easy grower. This is one of the oldest historical Moss Roses, probably dating back to the 1600's. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MALVINA. (V. Verdier, 1841.) Large, showy clusters of very double flowers, showing a handsome pale pink center changing to lilac rosy pink near the edges. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MME. LOUIS LEVEQUE. (Léveque, 1898.) While this is a modern variety compared to many others we offer, it is now considered, from a standpoint of size, perfume and most iness, to be one of the finest of all times. The color is a brilliant salmon-pink, and we find that occasional flowers of large size are produced in autumn. Stems well mossed, and perfume of the flower is extraordinary. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MOUSSEUX ANCIEN. The delicate pink flowers are shaded darker toward the center. The sepals are beautifully mossed, making it very lovely in the bud stage. One of the finest of the Old Mosses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

Almost forgotten by all but the children who love to gather garlands of their fragrant buds and flowers from old roadsides and deserted gardens, the Old-Fashioned Roses tease the conscience of the modern gardener with a sense of loss. Every grown man and woman cherishes some memory of the fragrant, unsophisticated charm of the Roses of long ago. Even the most unsentimental gardener has an uneasy feeling that something precious may have disappeared with the old-time Roses, for surely flowers so beloved centuries ago must have been worthy of affection and regard, as much as the songs they inspired and the memories they have left.

More and more that feeling of loss seems to have crept into the consciousness of all who love Roses. The movement to bring them back advanced slowly and painfully, accompanied by considerable expense. Friends of this firm have known for a long time of our interest in Old-Fashioned Roses. Patient search through old gardens and records enabled us to collect many which we offer in this Catalog. Regardless of their sentimental value they have many sterling qualities, not the least of which is their genuine old-rose perfume ofttimes rare in modern Roses. What if their flowers do not have the regularity, the finish, the texture, or the perfections as we call it of the modern bloom. The limits of beauty extend beyond the boundaries of modern taste. The old Roses have an eloquence of their own which speaks compellingly to all who love the Rose, who know its history, and appreciate what it means to humanity.

Planted in mixed borders simulating old-fashioned gardens, they may be given a place apart from the Rose garden where they may flower among the wall flowers, the daffodils, and the primroses, blending their fragrance with the lilies and pinks and all the delightful odds and ends which make the true charm of the garden.

PRUNING: Flowers are borne on old wood. As the plants age, thin out old wood in the early spring, saving the best 1-year and 2-year stems; shorten laterals. If they are to be grown for height, prune sparingly, in which case the flowers will be less perfect. For very fine flowers, cut down to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 feet each spring.

> OLD PINK MOSS (COMMON OR OLD MOSS; COMMUNIS). This is the original old Moss Rose which came to England from Holland about 1596. It is still one of the finest varieties. Bud is well mossed; large, globular, pale rose-pink flowers. Vigorous. \$2.25 each;

> SALET. (Robert, 1854.) One of the Perpetualflowering Mosses which bloom again in autumn

> if given special care. The flowers are rosy pink with blush edges. The autumn bloom is unusually good. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.
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> SOUV. DE. PIERRE VIBERT. (Moreau-Robert, 1867.) One of the very best deep red Moss Roses. Blooms are large, full, and literally cover the plant, even though the bush is of but reducts results. \$2.25 \text{section}\$ 2.55 \text{section}\$ is of but moderate growth. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00



OLD PINK MOSS. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00



ROSA MUNDI. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

BOULE DE NANTEUIL. Large; very double; deep pink, outside petals silvery pink. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CARDINAL DE RICHELIEU. (Laffay, 1840.) Very dark, double flowers of medium size and extremely handsome and rich in coloring. In some lights the deeper violet tones are almost blue, and in others they are purple verging to velvety black. Supply limited. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**COUPE D'HEBE.** (Laffay, 1840.) From deep rose-pink to pale tones; full cupped flower; very fragrant. Vigorous growth. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**DESIREE PARMENTIER.** A large, loose flower which is quite flat. Color is between light red and deep pink. Its spectacular color combination always draws the attention of lovers of Old-fashioned Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

**DUC DE GUICHE.** Large, double flowers of a curious orchid shade. An oddity of great interest. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**DUMORTIER.** Very double; light red with silvery reflexes. Most attractive and distinct. This historical French Rose is always prized for its fresh, brilliant coloring. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

## The French Rose Rosa gallica

A century ago the only hardy garden Roses were a few groups of once-blooming types and probably the most popular of them were the Gallicas, or so-called French Roses.

The flowers are beautiful in a distinctly different way and most of them are fragrant; also the plants are healthy and hardy.

**GEORGES VIBERT.** (Robert, 1853.) One of the most striking variegated Roses—bright purplish red broken by white streaks and stripes, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**GROS PROVINS PANACHE.** Some of the flowers are violet streaked with white, others are white streaked with violet. One rare and very desirable Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**JEANNETTE.** (Descemet.) Double flowers of bright light red, fading gradually to light rose-pink. An attractive variety. While the French term this a "light red," it is really a gorgeous combination of vermilion and oldrose-pink, very similar to the popular Hybrid Tea, Margaret McGredy. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**LA RUBANEE.** (Vibert, 1845.) This is one of the most popular of the old varieties. We find it identical to those we receive from time to time under the name of Village Maid, Panachée Double and Perle des Panachées. Rose and purple veinings on a white background. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MARIE TUDOR. Described in old catalogue as cherry-red or cerise, but the variety we have under this name is salmon-pink, marbled with rose, and is really one of the most distinct varieties in the Gallica class. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**CEILLET PARFAIT.** (Foulard, 1841.) Mediumsized, very double flowers of pale blush-pink, striped with red and crimson. Resembles a scarlet bizarre carnation. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

PRESIDENT DE SEZE. (Mme. Hébert.) Lilac-red, shaded violet-orchid—most unusual color found in no other Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



ROSA GALLICA. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

ROSA GALLICA. Ancestor of all the French Roses and, in fact, there is Gallica blood in most every modern hybrid Rose. Large, single, dark pink flowers on erect bushes 2½ to 3 feet tall. Cut them for home decoration, arrange them in a low bowl, and you have a "replica" of the finest paintings by the old masters. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA MUNDI. (Vibert, 1875.) Rather large, semi-double flowers of white or pale pink, broadly striped red and dark rose. Some petals may be all white, others all red, some half white and half red, some evenly striped. This is the Rose usually sold as York and Lancaster. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**TRICOLORE DE FLANDRE.** (Van Houtte, 1846.) The double, well-shaped flowers are lilac-white, striped with light red, purple, and crimson; fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



ROSA MOYESI. See page 23. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

## The Damask Rose Rosa Damascena

The Damask Roses are very hardy and make robust growth, clothed with large, rough, light green leaves. Their flowers are very freely produced and are generally borne in trusses of three or more. The fame of their powerful fragrance is second only to that of the Cabbage and the Moss Roses.

**DAMAS OFFICINALIS.** Large; very double; pink. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**KAZANLIK** (Rosa damascena trigintipetala). Southeastern Europe. A semi-double form of the Rosa damascena grown in the Balkans for the production of attar of roses. 3 to 4 feet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

double, cupped flowers of dark vivid crimson. Grows like a Hybrid Perpetual and blooms in June. A "must" for all collectors of Oldfashioned Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MAIDEN'S BLUSH. (Kew, 1797.) Unquestionably one of the loveliest of all the old Roses. There is a freshness about its rosy white color, shaded to a fine salmon-pink at the base, that is not equaled in any other variety. The petals of the semi-double flowers are most artistically arranged. Another attribute is its pronounced fragrance and sweet perfume. Maiden's Blush is probably a hybrid of Rosa alba (York Rose) and therefore rather difficult to classify. We are probably correct in calling it one of the old Damasks. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MARIE LOUISE. Medium-sized double flowers of rich deep pink. They are intensely fragrant. Bushy, shrubby growth. One of the most desirable of the Damask family. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MME. HARDY. (Hardy, 1832.) This is the much-sought-for pure white Damask Rose. It is cup-shaped, large and full, and bears heavily in spreading clusters. We consider it the most beautiful and fragrant of the white Old-fashioned Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

PROFESSEUR EMILE PERROT. (Turbat, 1931.) A delicate soft pink, very fragrant Damask Rose brought to France from Persia by Professeur Perrot. Grown in great quantities for the perfume industry. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA DAMASCENA. The original Rose of Damascus. Yields double rose-pink blooms with 18 or more petals. When fully open, the golden stamens add to its loveliness. Pleasingly and deliciously fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

YORK AND LANCASTER. Semi-double; small and irregular, fragrant bloom of pale pink or white with a few occasional solid reddish pink petals on the same flower. Rather long pale green branches of diffuse habit. Frequently confused with the striped Rosa Mundi, which is far more spectacular. However, we have the true York and Lancaster. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



## The Cabbage Rose Rosa centifolia

The Cabbage or Provence Rose has been grown in gardens for so many centuries that nobody knows where or when it originated. It is probably the most fragrant of all Roses and has been grown in certain favorable climates in Europe for ages to manufacture rose-water and attar of roses.

CABBAGE (Rosa centifolia). This is the original Provence Rose, with double, nodding flowers of light pink, paling at the edges soon after opening. The name "Cabbage" is suggested by the incurved globular form—not the size. The blooms are no larger than a small Hybrid Tea flower. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**ROSA CENTIFOLIA MAJOR.** This is the rosy or carmine-pink variety from the true centifolia. Small but very double, incurved and overlapping petals. Very scarce. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

KONIGIN VON DANEMARK. (Booth Bros., 1898.) Flowers medium size, very full, fragrant, flesh-pink with darker center. Vigorous. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

## MINIATURE ROSES

All of these Roses are 75 cts. each; 3 of a kind for \$2.00 except where noted

These charming little Roses, sometimes called "Miniatures," seldom grow more than a foot high. Though small and dainty, they are comparatively hardy, even in cold climates. They should never be planted right in among other everblooming Roses, although they do make nice edging plants for the small Rose-garden.

**OAKINGTON RUBY.** Deep crimson buds opening to ruby-red—lovely, non-fading color with no white center. This is a lovely red Fairy Rose. Potted plants.

PIXIE. Pat. 408. A tiny, fully double, white Rose only ¾ inch across. Buds are sometimes tinged pink. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

POMPON DE PARIS (Pompon Ancien).
The plants are small; buds pointed; flowers a deep pink. Potted plants.

RED ELF. Pat. pending. The richest and deepest colored of the Miniatures—velvety Bordeaux red with a touch of white at the base of the petals. A strong grower, blooming profusely from late May on. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

**ROSA ROULETTI.** Double rose-pink flowers, less than a half inch across. Potted plants.

**SWEET FAIRY.** Pat. 748. Deep pink buds; very double, 1-inch blooms of apple-blossom-pink. Richly fragrant. Long lasting and fine for miniature arrangements. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.



PERSUE DE GOSSART. A large double flower of velvety cerise with garnet reflexes. Very distinct and shows the true Cabbage Rose formation. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

RED PROVENCE. (Old.) Clear rose-pink flowers, deeper in center. These are of large size, cupped in form, and are very fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSE DES PEINTRES. Rose-color to deep rose-pink; large and full, with raised center. Vigorous growth. The Rose of the old Dutch painters of still life. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

VARIEGATA DI BOLOGNA. (Bonfiglioli, 1909.) This is the largest of all striped Roses and shows the pure white background with purplish red veinings on each petal. Plant makes a spectacular pillar or large, vigorous shrub. The blooms are the true large, double, globular, Cabbage Rose type. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

VIERGE DE CLERY. (Baron Veillard, 1888.) Snow-white blooms of large size; exceedingly fragrant. Considered the best white Cabbage Rose in existence. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

## Scotch Roses

Rosa spinosissima Hybrids and others

Small, fern-like foliage and spiny growth distinguish this group. They are all extremely hardy, trouble-free, making fine compact bushes that combine well with other shrubs and handsome as specimen plants.

PRUNING: Thin out old wood only.

HARISON'S YELLOW. (Harison, 1830.) The yellow shrub Rose of oldtime gardens. Semi-double, bright yellow flowers on sturdy plants. 6 to 8 feet tall. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA PTERAGONIS. (Max Krause, 1937.) Here we have a cross between R. omeiensis pteracantha and R. Hugonis. The plant is literally covered with yellowish white flowers in early May. Perhaps an equally distinctive characteristic is the showy pinkish red thorns which this hybrid has inherited from the Pteracantha species. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**R. SPINOSISSIMA.** White. The original Scotch Rose. Flowers usually white, but sometimes pink or yellowish. Very fragrant. An excellent hedge subject. It is the sweetest scented of all our wild Roses. It looks loveliest in its native haunts, with its red-tipped buds and blush-white flowers. 3 feet. 85 cts. each; 10 for \$7.50; 100 for \$65.00.

ROSA SPINOSISSIMA ALTAICA. Grows taller and more vigorously than the species and produces larger, sparkling white flowers. The true Altai Scotch Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**ROSA SPINOSISSIMA HISPIDA.** The sulphur-yellow Scotch Rose with flowers about 3 inches across—much larger than the more common Scotch Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

R. XANTHINA. Its long, arching canes make a bushy, upright should be dealed in early apring with golden rosettes. \$2.25 each; for \$6.00.

STANWELL PERPETUAL. (Lee.) Pink. This old favorite blooms during the entire season. Flesh-pink, double blooms. 6 feet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

SPRING GOLD. (R. spinosissima Frübling Gold). Everybody who sees this yellow shrub Rose blooming in the nursery rows in June marvels at its extraordinary beauty. It is far and away the best among many new European Rose importations that came to us. The many strong but graceful branches are literally packed full with hundreds of the most brilliant Roses you ever saw. The 3-inch semi-double individual blooms have their cream-yellow petals gracefully arrayed to surround the center chock full of golden stamens. Plant and use Spring Gold as you would any hardy, deciduous shrubs for everlasting beauty. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



ROSE DES PEINTRES. (Cabbage Rose.) \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

## Austrian Briers

Austrian Briers are descendants of Rosa foetida, and the ancestors of the modern yellow, orange, and copper Hybrid Teas.

AUSTRIAN COPPER (Rosa fatida bicolor). Single flowers of intense copper-red, reverse of petras ungit golden yellow 12.25 colds; 3 for \$6.00.

## AUSTRIAN YELLOW. Theyellow flowered type of Austrian Copper 5. Leading for scient

**PERSIAN YELLOW.** Double, rather small, deep golden yellow flowers, produced along the canes in the manner characteristic of this class. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

## Aubrid Sweetbriers

Developed from the common Sweetbrier or Eglantine (see Species Roses), they bear single and semi-double flowers along their arching canes. Most of them grow 8 to 10 feet high with a good spread.

**BRENDA.** (Penzance, 1894.) Light peachy pink, fairly large flowers; fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**GREEN MANTLE.** (Penzance, 1895.) Bright rosy red, with a white eye beneath the golden stamens. Foliage richly fragrant. The plant is tall and of unusual vigor. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

JULIA MANNERING. (Penzance, 1895.) Light pink; fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**LADY PENZANCE.** (Penzance, 1894.) Bright copper-colored flowers with a brilliant sheen. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

**LORD PENZANCE.** (Penzance, 1894.) Flowers fawn-colored, delicately tinted with ecru. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

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HERMOSA. China. (Marcheseau, 1840.) Pink. Medium-sized, soft pink, double flowers. Good healthy, bushy plants up to 2 feet. This is a favorite of three generations. Truly everblooming. 35 petals. **Supply exhausted until fall 1951.** \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

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MRS. HERBERT STEVENS. Tea. (S. McGredy & Son, 1910.) Fine shaped, double white flowers tinted with pale lemon at center and sweetly perfumed. Growth moderate and blooms well. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MUTABILIS (Rosa mutabilis). China. unusual species gives flowers of several colors on the one plant. Looks and acts like a China. Large, single flowers of rose-pink, yellow, buff, and orange are produced all summer. Bushy plant 2 to 3 feet high. Very scarce. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

old Blush. (Parsons, 1796.) Bright pink flowers, darkening with age; sparkling, informal, and very pretty. The Bengal Rose, origin of all pink Chinas, and still one of the best of them. Supply very limited until fall 1951. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SAFRANO. Tea. (Beauregard, 1839.) Saffron

and apricot yellow. Large, semi-double, fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON. Bourbon. (Beluze, 1843.) Blush Pade flesh ordered dovers emetring a haunting tragrance. Plant dwarf and bushy, 2 feet high. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

THE GREEN ROSE (Rosa chinensis viridiflora). THE GREEN ROSE (Rosa chinensis viridiflora).
China. Green. The flower formation consists of a "tuft" of green sepals, with no colored petals at all; hence the name of this most unusual variety. Grows as a vigorous, 3 to 4-foot bush. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.
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WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON. Noisette. (Mme. Ducher, 1878.) Smallish, double, irregular flowers of buff and intense orange. Plant vigorous and unusually hardy in protected situations. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

## Rose Species and Oddities

Rosa alba suaveolens. Semi-double, white flowers 2 inches in diameter. Cultivated in southeastern Europe for the production of rose oil or attar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. alba carnea. Palest blush-pink, fading to white. Many Rose experts consider this identical with Maiden's Blush in many respects. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

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R. alba. York Rose. Large, flat, pure white blooms with yellow centers, varying from single to semi-double. The tissue-like petals of this lovely old Rose are quite distinct, as is the graygreen wood and glaucous foliage. This historical Rose is always a "must have" for collectors of old Roses. Tall growth. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. Ecae (R. Primula). (Turkestan.) Pale yellowish white flowers, 1 to 1½ inches across, borne freely along the erect leafy branches very early in the season. Prickly stems 4 to 5 feet tall, with finely divided foliage which, when wet, emits a strong odor of formic acid. Its shiny dark green leaves and red thorns on the branches make it very attractive the whole year round. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. Eglanteria (R. rubiginosa). Eglantine; Sweet-

R. Eglanteria (R. rubiginosa). Eglantine; Sweetbrier. Bright pink flowers in small clusters. Noted for fragrance of the young foliage. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

each; 3 for \$4.00. At. Moyesi. (Western China.) Deep blood-red blooms, 2 to 3 inches across. The color of the flowers is not only unlike that of any other Rose, but of any other flower. It is a vivid yet deep, warm, velvety, reddish terra-cotta, a color one sometimes sees in old needlework and impossible to describe. Strong grower. Beautiful foliage. 6 to 8 feet. See page 21. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. multiflora. (Japan, Korea.) Small white flowers in large trusses, borne profusely along stout arching canes, followed by bunches of handsome red fruits which attract the birds. Used for understock, but also for bordering woodland or drives and for fencing. Plant them 18 inches apart for hedge or fence purpose. 2-year, nursery-grown plants, 10 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75; 50 for \$15.00; 100 for \$25.00

R. mutabilis. This unusual species from China gives flowers of several colors on the one plant. Large, single flowers of rose-pink, yellow, buff, and orange are produced all summer. Bushy plant 2 to 3 feet high. Very scarce. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. Primula. See R. Ecae.

R. pomifera villosa. (1762.) Better known as the "Apple Rose" of Central Europe and so named because of its exceptionally large, rich red fruits shaped like apples. The flowers are rosy pink. Extremely hardy and very ornamental. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. rubrifolia (R. ferruginea). Red-leaved Rose. (Central and Southern Europe.) Pink flowers. Remarkable for the beauty of its foliage, which is bronze-red. Red fruits. 6 feet. \$1.50 each;

R. Waitziana macrantha. A vigorous plant 10 to 15 feet tall, used as a climber or shrub. Flowers pink, fading to almost white; 4 inches across. A heavy June bloomer; definitely hardy. Attractive long, deep red hips. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. Watsoniana. The Bamboo Rose. (Japan.) Tiny, compact, narrow fern-list logage, boning dense plumed hear, vergreen foliage. Small pink-just lowers. 2 to 3 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

R. Wichuraiana. See page 17.



## TREE ROSES on 3½-ft, Trunks

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WHITE—Alice Stern, Frau Karl Druschki, Mme. Jules Bouche.

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# TREE ROSES

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# Rare. Unusual and Novelty PERENNIALS

Some of the interesting items on this page are not necessarily new but are the result of searching far and wide for the unusual types that we feel it is our duty to reinstate for the pleasure of all true gardening enthusiasts. Others are new or recently introduced both here and abroad. You who have already grown many of the more common types will get a big thrill when trying at least a few of these specialties that we feel may still be new to your garden.

**ANEMONE japonica, Marguerite.** A very satisfactory, large, double-flowered, dark pink Anemone which blooms in September and October, as do all the other Japonica varieties. It attains a height of about 2½ to 3 feet. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

ANEMONE Japonica, Mount Rose. One of the finest, free-flowering, semi-double pink Anemones. This old Favorite was lost for many years, but can now be offered again. Grows to two feet and blooms in April and May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**ANEMONE Pulsatilla rubra.** This is also a very rare, scarce Anemone with same growth habits as Pulsatilla alba. It is a lovely shade of red. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Both the Pulsatilla varieties may be planted in spring or fall.

AQUILEGIA Skinneri. A long-spurred hybrid Columbine with yellow and red flowers. A miniature Crimson Star, smaller and proportionately more refined, with the same colorings. 18 to 24 in. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**ASTER yunnanensis, Napsbury.** Large, bright heliotrope flowers having mandarinorange centers. They are fragrant, unusual and attractive. Excellent for cutting in June. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Please refer to page 28 for the finest selection of Asters in the World.

CARLINA acaulis. Weatherglass Thistle. A very useful and pretty dwarf alpine Thistle having large white flowers and glossy foliage. Just watch the petals change their form according to the weather. 5 to 6 in. June, July. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

**CENTAUREA dealbata Steenbergii.** Large flowers of reddish orchid with white centers. Blends well in borders where yellow predominates. Compact grower. Blooms during July and August and attains a height of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS.** See pages 40 –41 for the new and worthwhile hardy Mums.



CENTAUREA dealbata Steenbergii. 3 for \$2.00

## CIMICIFUGA · Snakeroot

Must be planted in a shady, moist location where it will attain its full beauty and remain permanent.

Racemosa simplex, White Pearl. A great improvement on the older Cimicifuga. The buds appear as little white pearls opening into fluffy white balls. The long terminal racemes reach a height of about 3 feet. It is one of the very few herbaceous plants to continue to bloom a month or so after the first hard frosts. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

**CYCLAMEN neapolitanum.** A rare bulbous plant for the rockery or shaded wild garden. Flowers freely produced in late summer; delicately scented. Deep rose. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

**CYCLAMEN europæum.** Same growth as *C. neapolitanum*, but blooms earlier. Bright red. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

DIANTHUS, Pink Princess. A fine new seed-ling worthy of being called a garden gem. A true hardy type, flowering continually from early summer until late frost. Its spicy fragrance makes it comparable to the finest greenhouse Carnations. May to Nov. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**ECHINOPS humilis, Taplow Blue. Globe Thistle.** A very showy, tall-growing plant having globular heads of soft metallic blue flowers. Fine for cutting and drying for winter bouquets. Plant in part shade or sun at the back of the border.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.50.

FUCHSIA, Tom Thumb. Ladies Eardrops. This is a new development from the old and well-known Fuchsia. The taller-growing variety Magellenica has not been found very hardy in temperate climates, but we believe you will find the dwarf-growing Tom Thumb quite hardy with a little winter protection. With us it grows to about 8 to 9 inches and is literally covered all summer and early fall with the carmine and lavender eardrop flowers. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

**HELLEBORUS atrorubens.** A very new importation from abroad. Foliage, plant habit and extreme hardiness are same as the betterknown white Helleborus (Christmas Rose). The blooms are a most unusual shade of purple. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00. (See page 33 for more about Helleborus culture.)

**HEUCHERA, Red Pimpernel.** A scarce, outstanding variety having very bright scarlet flowers. June to Sept. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**LITHOSPERMUM, Heavenly Blue.** A well-known but little-distributed plant. Prostrate evergreen foliage; vivid sky-blue flowers. 3 in. Blooms all summer. 3 for \$1.50.

**PHLOX Arendsi.** Please refer to page 35. for four most interesting varieties that are hybrids between *Phlox canadensis* and *P. decussata*.

**PYRETHRUM, Scarlet Glow.** Here we have a very distinctly colored Pyrethrum exactly as the name describes it. Unique and different in the Pyrethrum or Painted Daisy group. A very easy grower and quite winter hardy. Blooms during May and June and attains a height of about 2 feet. Excellent for cutting. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**PYRETHRUM, Eileen May Robinson.** This comparatively new variety has all the growth habits of Scarlet Glow Pyrethrum but is an exquisite shade of light rose-pink. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.



CIMICIFUGA, White Pearl. 3 for \$2.50



LITHOSPERMUM, Heavenly Blue. 3 for \$1.50



ECHINOPS, Taplow Blue. 3 for \$2.00



#HILE Mr. Bobbink, the Founder and President of Bobbink & Atkins, is universally recognized as the Dean of America's Commercial Rosarians, it is not generally known, except by those very close to him, that his interest in Perennials and Herbaceous plants is just as keen and seems to increase with the years. The Perennial Department at Bobbink & Atkins has always been very important but within recent years there has been added interest because of Mr. Bobbink's personal attention to the hundred and one details involved in the production of these worth-while and useful Herbaceous

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Filipendulina, Parker's Variety. Tall plants twith big, clear yellow flower-heads; prefers a dry location. Very fine for cutting, and may also be dried for winter bouquets. 2½ to 3 ft. also be dried for winter bouquets. 2½ t June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

ACHILLEA · Yarrow

Millefolium Kelwayi. Showy heads of cartmine-red flowers. Good foliage, and will flourish in dry places. 1 to 3 ft. May to Oct. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Ptarmica, Boule de Neige (Ball of Snow). †An improvement on The Pearl, with fuller and more perfect flowers that are excellent for cut-1½ ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for

### ACONITUM · Monkshood

Fischeri. Fills the need for blue flowers after †delphiniums have passed, and offers good contrast with early chrysanthemums. Thrives in sun or partial shade. 2 to 3 ft. Sept., Oct. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.00.

Napellus. Long spikes of large, dark blue flowers Likes shade. 3 to \$1.50; 10 for \$4.00. 3 to 4 ft. July, August. 3 for

Napellus, Sparks' Variety. A tall plant with †branching spikes of blue flowers. 5 to 6 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.00.

## ALYSSUM, HARDY

Basket of Gold

Early-flowering perennials. Excellent for edging flower-beds and in association with spring-flowering bulbs.

**Saxatile compactum.** Compact masses of ★single yellow flowers. 1 ft. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## ANCHUSA · Alkanet

Italica. An erect plant with clusters of large tblue flowers, excellent for cutting. If not allowed to go to seed, will bloom from June to September. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Myosotidiflora. Forget-me-not-flowered \*Anchusa. Likes partial shade and is a fine ground-cover. 1 to 1½ ft. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## ANTHEMIS · Chamomile

**Moonlight.** Pale yellow flowers about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  tinches in diameter. Blooms all summer and is excellent for cutting.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4,50.

Tinctoria Kelwayi. Golden Marguerite. †Flowers rich yellow; fine for cutting. Very popular and largely planted. 2 ft. June to Oct. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

## **ANTHERICUM**

Liliastrum major. St. Bruno's Lily. (Named tfor the founder of the Carthusian monks.) The white flowers, like Madonna lilies, are carried on an erect spike surrounded by narrow, grasslike foliage. Charming in both the border and rockery; also good for cutting. Give plenty of water when about to bloom. 1½ ft. May, June. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

## AQUILEGIA · Columbine

These well-loved perennials prefer partial shade. They add charm to the border and rockgarden planting and are splendid for cutting. Plant them in groups of three for best effect.

Alpina. The lovely low-growing Columbine so \*\psi\useful in rockeries. A beautiful deep blue. 10 in. April, May.

Bernardi. Drooping flowers of deep violet-blue.

Cærulea. Rocky Mountain Columbine. ★Colors vary from pure white to deep blue. Needs acid soil and deep shade. 1 to 2 ft. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Cærulea Heleniæ. Excellent blue flowers thaving a white throat. 2 ft.

Chrysantha. Golden Columbine. Lovely †golden yellow. 2 to 3 ft. May, June.

**Crimson Star.** Large flowers with crimson †sepals and spurs and white petals. A really spectacular flower. 2 ft. May, June.

Long-spurred Hybrids. Assorted colors, all tshades. A fine strain. 2 to 3 ft. May, June.

**Skinneri.** See page 25.

All Aquilegias: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50, except where noted

## ARABIS · Rock-Cress

A fine subject for massing or edging. Average garden soil and sunny location.

Alpina. A mat of gray-green foliage above which ★the pure white flowers appear like a snowy cloud in April and May. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for

Alpina fl. pl. A double form of the preceding. ★3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

# PERENNIALS. ANEMONE · Windflower

Sold for Spring Planting Only

The Anemones are among the choicest of perennials, indispensable in the border. They require plenty of moisture, prefer slight shade, and should be given some winter protection.
Useful for city gardens because of their endurance of smoke, fog, and dampness.

## **ANEMONE JAPONICA**

Japonica alba. Large, single, pure white flowers. †2½ to 3 ft. Sept., Oct.

Japonica, Giant of the Whites. Semi-double. Very large, white flowers on tall stems.

Japonica, Kriemhilde. Large, semi-double †flowers of a striking vivid pink shade. 2½ ft. Sept., Oct.

Japonica, Marguerite. See page 25.

Japonica, Mont Rose. An outstanding large, †clear rose flower. Semi-double. 2 ft.

Japonica, September Charm. Considered ★one of the earliest and best varieties. Carries many flowers of silver-pink and rose in Septem-

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6 plants, 1 each of 6 varieties (our selection)

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Japonica hupehensis. A miniature of the ★Japonica type having mauve flowers in early August, continuing to late fall. 1 ft.

Japonica hupehensis rubra. Same as above,

Japonica hupehensis superba. Large pink ★flowers. One of the best and largest flowering of the Hupehensis type. 1 ft. 3 for \$1.75.

## ANEMONE SPECIES

Pulsatilla. Pasque-Flower. An attractive ★dwarf plant. Flowers shade from lilac to 8 to 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

★Pulsatilla rubra. See page 25.

A. Pulsatilla may be planted in spring or fall.

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Varieties starred  $(\bigstar)$  for rock-gardens. Varieties daggered  $(\dagger)$  for cut-flowers.

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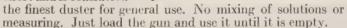
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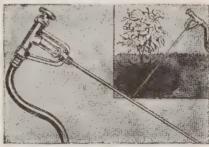
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AGAPANTHUS. Blue Lily of the Nile

## AGAPANTHUS. Blue Lily of the Nile

**Umbellatus.** Beautiful large plants with graceful and ornamental foliage. From the base rise straight stems topped with funnelshaped, bright blue flowers, to 2 inches long. The blooms are carried in clusters of 12 to 30 on a stem. Ideal for growing in pots and tubs and can be used for porch, terrace and pool decoration. Full sun and good soil with liquid manure as fertilizer suit Agapanthus. Must be stored indoors over winter in all but the mildest climates, for it is not hardy. 6-in. pots, \$1.00 each; 10 for \$8.50. Sent by Railway Express collect.

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★May and June and again in Sept., Oct.

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Vindictive. Fine crimson flowers; 6-inch stems. ★May, June.

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Salland. Fine red fringed flower tinged with dark †blue. Tall growing. 5 ft.

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(Including all Dumosus types)

Alpinus, Blue Mountain Daisy. Dwarf, neat ★habit, fine for rockeries. 5 to 10 in. May. **Audrey.** Very free flowering. Amethyst-violet.  $\dagger 1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. Sept., Oct.

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Lady Henry Maddocks. Pale pink. Profuse ★bloom. Late.

Mauve Cushion. A distinct species which forms \*\*a circular, cushion-like plant rarely over 6 inches high. The flowers are delicate mauve, with a silvery white sheen, and are 11/4 inches in diameter. Oct., Nov.

Nancy.★ Pale lilac-pink flowers.

Peter Pan. This petite Aster fashions a charmting bouquet of glowing orchid-pink. 1 ft. Aug., Sept. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Wartburg Star. Bright lavender-blue; prom-★inent yellow centers. Flowers measure more than 4 inches across, borne on stiff stems. 1 to 1½ ft. May, June.

Yunnanensis, Napsbury. Bright heliotrope twith golden eye. Grand flowers on good stems, excellent for cutting in June. Neat plant habit growing to about 18 inches. This novelty from abroad is of exceptional merit. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Varieties daggered (†) are suitable for cut-

Varieties starred (★) are suitable for rockgardens.

## TALL ASTERS

(Including Novi-Belgi and Novae-Angliae

types)

Beechwood Challenger. Very fine clear red
twith a prominent yellow disc. A bushy grower with healthy foliage. The deepest of the reds. 3 ft.

Beechwood Rival. Growing habits similar to above variety, but flowers are a deep cyclamenpurple. 2 ft.

Gay Border Blue. Semi-double, rich violet-

Harrington's Pink. A really choice, outstandting, new pink Aster. Color is a soft clear rose. Blooms freely on a strong, bushy plant.

Hilda Ballard. Large, quite double flowers of silvery mauve

Hybridus luteus. Clusters of small yellow flowers. 2 to 3 ft. July to Sept.

Mount Everest. Large, pure white flowers †cover the plant. With its long flowering period it ranks supreme.

Olga Keith. Excellent in every way. Medium tall growing, with mauve-pink flowers. 2 ft. Plenty. A lovely soft blue Michaelmas Daisy.

The single flowers are almost as large as those of an annual Aster. 3½ to 4 ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00

**Prosperity.** New. Large, rich rosy carmine †flowers. One of the best in this class. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Queen Mary. A very fine cutting variety, having large, sky-blue flowers. 2 ft.

Royal Blue. One of the best of the deep blue †Novi-Belgi type. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Violette. A very floriferous deep violet-blue. Neat of habit and growth. 2 ft. Sept. 75 cts.

each; 3 for \$2.00.

White Ladies. New. Considered the finest of all the white varieties. Has cream-colored buds and exceptionally large flowers.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

## Special Offer DWARF OR TALL ASTERS

Specify preference, Dwarf or Tall 6 PLANTS, 2 each of 3 varieties \$2.45 (Our selection) . . . . . FOR (Regular value \$3.00)

12 PLANTS, 4 each of 3 varieties (Our selection) FOR \$4.50 (Regular value \$6.00)

## BAPTISIA

Australis. False Indigo. Long spikes of tlovely blue, pea-like flowers. A native plant with good foliage, doing well in any soil. 3 to 4 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

## BETONICA · Betony

**Grandiflora.** Bright rose-purple flowers on †long stems. A good plant for hot dry places. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## BUDDLEIA · Butterfly-Bush

(For delivery in spring only)

Semi-shrubs which freeze down in hard winters and come up with renewed vigor the following spring. All the Buddleias are excellent as cut-flowers as well as for their decorative value in the garden during August and September.

†Charming. Large, full spikes of lavender-pink. Dubonnet. True Dubonnet in color, in suntshine nearly red.

lle de France. Handsome spikes of rose-purple †suffused violet. A lovely color and a fine

branching plant. Royal Red. Pat. Pat. 556. Lovely spikes of the †finest red. Fragrant and excellent for cutting. 4 ft. July to frost.

White Cloud. A magnificent new white Butter-†fly-Bush. Compact, producing well-formed blooms with small yellow eyes. 4 to 5 ft. July to frost.

All Buddleias: 75 cts. each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00



MOUNT EVEREST. 3 for \$1.50



HARRINGTON'S PINK. 3 for \$1.50



GAY BORDER BLUE. 3 for \$1.50



BEECHWOOD CHALLENGE 3 for \$1.50



© CATANANCHE cærulea major 3 for \$1.50

#### CATANANCHE

Cærulea major. Giant-Blue Cupids-dart. †Bright deep violet-blue flowers, 2 inches in diameter, produced in profusion from July to frost. About 2 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.





BUDDLEIA, Ile de France. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00





ASTER Frikarti. 3 for \$1.50

#### CAMPANULA . Bellflower

A large family of interesting plants having a wide range of habit and color. Some are adapted to rock-gardens, and others are invaluable for the border.

**Latiloba** (grandis). Very showy, large, saucer-tshaped, blue flowers. Borne in conical clusters. July to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Persicifolia. Peach-leaved Bellflower. Large, teup-shaped, blue flowers. 2 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**Persicifolia alba.** Same as above variety, but thas white flowers. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Persicifolia, Blue Gardenia. A new introduction with blooms measuring  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 inches across, along a  $2\frac{1}{2}$ -foot stem, with five or more spikes to the plant. Flowers are a beautiful shade of bright lavender-blue, with attractive foliage.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

#### CAMPANULAS

for the Rock-Garden

Carpatica. Harebell. Light blue bells in compact tufts. 8 in. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

**Carpatica alba.** A white form of the above.  $\bigstar 3$  for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Poscharskyana. An interesting dwarf species ★with fine, star-shaped, lilac flowers. July. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

CARLINA acaulis. See page 25.

## CARYOPTERIS Clandonensis BLUE MIST

A great advance on its familiar relative, C. incana, and making a gray-green dome some 3 feet high. Its whorled spikes of blooms of soft plumbago-blue are beautiful. Plant in front of Kerria japonica, the yellow-flowering shrubs. Hardy and free flowering. Sept., Oct. 85 cts. each; 3 for \$2.25.

#### CENTAUREA · Cornflower

**Dealbata.** Compact habit. Deep pink flowers on ★the general style of a cornflower or sweet sultan. 1½ ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

†Dealbata Steenbergii. See page 25.

Macrocephala. Lovely floriferous plant for tsunny situations, with 4-inch head of golden yellow flowers. 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM Shasta Daisies

The Shasta Daisies must be included as one of the most valuable and desirable cut-flowers. Their unusual whiteness and long-lasting quality make them perfect subjects for bouquets and other flower decorations. The plants are sturdy, free flowering from early summer until fall.

**Aglaia.** Very broad glistening white petals. †Ends of petals are rounded, not pointed as in others. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Arcticum. Arctic Daisy. White, slightly tinged rose or lilac. Dwarf, spreading growth. Do not confuse with the tall Arcticum. Sept. to Nov. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Fringed Beauty. A strong grower with large, thringed, fluffy white flowers. Very good for cutting. 18 to 24 in. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Mount Shasta. New. Pure twhite. Double rows of petals 4 inches across. Blooms continually until heavy frost. Grown from divisions. 1½ to 2 ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### CONVALLARIA Lily-of-the-Valley

Majalis. Our clumps are large, ★field-grown. Perhaps the best ground-cover for situations in dense shade. They are best planted in late fall. 10 for \$4.00; 25 for \$9.50.



CONVALLARIA. Lily-of-the-Valley
10 for \$4.00



HARDY PINKS



DIANTHUS. Pink Princess 3 for \$2.00

Varieties starred  $(\bigstar)$  are suitable for rock-gardens.

#### **COREOPSIS**

Lanceolata. No perennial produces more blooms †than this. Large golden yellow flowers on long, graceful stems. 2 ft. June to Oct. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Verticillata. Small, yellow-flowering variety, with finely divided foliage. Thrives in most any location; grows and spreads rapidly. 2 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### CIMICIFUGA · Snakeroot

Must be planted in a shady, moist location where it will attain its full beauty and remain permanent.

Racemosa simplex. This attractive perennial will enhance the effectiveness of any hardy border. The dense spikes of feathery white flowers are borne on tall, graceful stems 2 to 3 feet high, excellent for cutting; an ideal subject for vases. Will grow best in a half-shady location. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

CYCLAMEN, Hardy. See page 25.

#### CYPRIPEDIUM · Lady-Slipper; Moccasin-Flower

Hardy Orchids which present interesting flowers in late spring. These plants prefer shade or a semi-shaded location. Fine for rockeries, wild gardens, or near streams or ponds. Peaty soil is required for best results.

Acaule. Pink Lady-Slipper. Large, bright 
★purple-pink flowers, carrying foliage close to 
the ground. 1 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 
10 for \$4.50.

Pubescens. Yellow Lady-Slipper. Large, ★bright yellow flowers in May and June. Prefers shade and rich, well-drained soil. 1 ft. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Spectabile. Showy Lady-Slipper. Extra ★strong grower having large leaves and white to rose-colored flowers. 1 ft. June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## DIANTHUS HYBRIDS Hardy Pinks

This very interesting group of Dianthus is indispensable for the cut-flowers resembling Carnations; medium-length stems and in many harmonious colors.

Beatrix. Fragrant; light salmon-pink. 10 to 12 ★in. May to Nov.

June Carmine. A very lovely shade of bright ★carmine-pink with a spicy fragrance. Full double flowers, perfectly formed. Growth compact and cushion-like. Extra hardy.

Pink Princess. A fine new seedling worthy of ★being called a garden gem. A true hardy type, flowering continually from early summer until late fall. Its spicy fragrance makes it comparable to the finest greenhouse Carnation varieties. May to Nov. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**Silvermine.** White. Blooms profusely from ★May to early Nov. 10 to 12 in.

White Loveliness. New. A unique, unusual ★and rare variety of Hardy Pink. The unusualness of the flower is in its laciniated white petals. Very hardy and delightfully fragrant. Grows 10 to 12 inches tall. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

White Reserve. White, with fine glaucous ★foliage. Indispensable for low massed white color effect, May to Nov. Very hardy and long lived. 1 ft.

All Dianthus: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50, except where noted

Special Offer

6 Dianthus Hybrids 3 Pink, 3 White (Our selection)..... FOR \$2.65

## **Delphiniums**

No perennials are more showy than Delphiniums. Their great 20 to 30-inch spikes of flowers are produced from June until late fall and cannot be equaled for their gorgeous blue colorings and stateliness of habit. The height of the plants (4 to 5 feet) makes them ideal for the background of borders.

All plants for spring delivery are well established in 3-inch pots and will transplant without difficulty.

#### †BELLADONNA

A fine light blue Delphinium. Still unsurpassed for cutting. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### † LAMARTINE

A strong grower with good foliage, providing handsome spikes of very fine dark blue flowers in sufficient quantity to furnish cut-flowers from June to Sept. Probably the hardiest of all Delphiniums. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## Giant-Flowering Hybrids

A new strain of Delphinium which has been recently developed and is now recognized as superior to all former named varieties.

†Blue Jay. Bright medium blue with a dark bee. †Cameliard. Pure layender with a white bee.

**Galahad.** Large clear white with a heavy glistening texture.

**Guinevere.** Light pinkish lavender with a white thee.

**King Arthur.** Brilliant rich royal purple with a tlarge white bee.

Above Delphinlums: 3 of one variety \$1.75; 10 of one variety \$5.50

## LYONDEL GIANT HYBRID DELPHINIUMS

A new strain especially selected for their larger flowers and wide range of assorted colors, ranging from pale blues to deep purples but no whites. The individual florets are either single, semi-double or double. The originator claims them to be very hardy. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.50.

## DAPHNE CNEORUM · Rose Daphne or Garland Flower

Attractive dwarf, bushy, evergreen plant, the branches spreading from the crown, forming a solid mass and bearing bright pink flowers at tip of every branch during May and August. Grows to a height and spread of about 1½ feet. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.75.

#### DORONICUM · Leopards-Bane

Caucasicum, Mme. Mason. Large yellow †daisy-like flowers excellent for cutting. Compact growth. Longer lived and generally more satisfactory than Caucasicum. 2½ ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Magnificum excelsum. Very attractive, large tyellow flowers on stiff stems. Most useful for cutting. 2 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Pardalianches, Goldstreet. Very free flowerting. Small flowers of cobalt-yellow on manybranched stems. 10 in. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

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GIANT-FLOWERING HYBRID DELPHINIUMS

## Special Offer

Giant-flowering Hybrid

Delphiniums

5 plants,

one of each named variety

\$2.75

10 plants,
one of each named variety
\$5.00

Varieties daggered  $(\dagger)$  are suitable for cut-flowers.

#### DICENTRA . Bleeding-Heart

Eximia. Wild Bleeding-Heart. Fine, fern-★like foliage and slender racemes of small pink flowers almost all season. 1 ft. May to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Spectabilis. The fine old favorite BleedingtHeart, grown and admired through the years for its unusual flower display in May and June. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.50.

Sweetheart. White Fringed Bleeding-Heart. †A recent introduction that will be found very suitable for shaded gardens, having graceful, pure white, suspended blooms from late spring to frost. 3 for \$2.00.

#### DICTAMNUS · Gas-Plant

The Gas-Plant is a very interesting subject; not only are the flowers attractive, but also its seed pods and foliage. When fully established it is a strong grower and requires only a moderately rich soil, in either an open sunny or partially shaded location.

Fraxinella (albus). The white flowers somefrimes emit a vapor which is inflammable and instantly aromatic. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**Fraxinella rubra.** Rosy purple with deepertcolored veins. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### ECHINOPS · Globe Thistle

Humilis, Taplow Blue. A very showy, tall-tgrowing plant having globular heads of soft metallic blue flowers. Fine for cutting and drying for winter bouquets. Plant in part shade or sun at the back of the border. 2½ to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.50.

#### **EPIMEDIUM** · Barrenwort

As ground-covers, for edging or in the rockery, Epimediums are delightful. In May and June the plants, growing about 9 inches high and wide, are a mass of delicate, lovely flowers. Their light green, heart-shaped foliage is leathery in texture and most attractive. They grow well in shade, better in partial shade, and will also tolerate full sunlight.

**Alpinum rubrum.** Masses of red flowers in ★May and June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Macranthum niveum. In May and June it is a ★perfect sheet of white flowers offset by handsome foliage. Worthy of a place in every garden. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00; 100 for \$35.00.

Macranthum violaceum. Same habits as ★above variety but lilac flowers. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Pinnatum sulphureum. Sulphur-yellow flow-★ers. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.



EPIMEDIUM

Top, E. pinnatum sulphureum
Bottom, E. macranthum niveum

Varieties starred (★) are suitable for rockgardens.

#### FERNS

A shady position, usually on the north side of the building, that may be useless for the cultivation of other plants, is easily transformed into a hardy fernery. These graceful plants are of easy culture, especially if a liberal amount of leaf-mold or good earth from the woods is available. The low-growing varieties are suitable for rock-gardens.

Goldie Fern (Dryopteris Goldiana). Tallest and largest of our wood ferns. 2 to 3 ft.

Hay-scented Fern (Dennstaedtia punctilobula). Grows in open sun as well as in shade. 1 to

Interrupted Fern (Osmunda Claytoniana). A very bold, attractive species. 1½ to 3 ft.

Lady Fern (Athyrium Filix-femina). Deeply cut, very bright green leaves. 2 to 3 ft.

Leatherwood Fern (Dryopteris marginalis). Evergreen, attractive and vigorous grower.

Royal Fern (Osmunda regalis). Also a strong, tall species that thrives in shady or sunny location. 2 to 4 ft.

Toothed Woodfern (Dryopteris spinulosa). Evergreen. Prefers a rich, moist soil. 1 to 2 ft.

#### Low-growing Ferns for Rock-Gardens

**Common Polypodium** (*Polypodium vulgare*). ★Evergreen; covers rocks and ledges. 6 to 12 in.

Above Ferns: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50

★FUCHSIA, Tom Thumb. See page 25.

#### GAILLARDIA · Blanket Flower

Portola Hybrids. Flowers are brilliant coppery †scarlet, with petals margined golden yellow. A vigorous grower. Fine for cutting.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. June until frost. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### **GENTIANA**

Purdomi. Prostrate stems. Large, upturned, ★violet-blue, starry trumpets. All Gentian admirers will want this one for its unusual prostrate habit. July, Aug. 75 cts. each; 3 for

Septemfida. Crested Gentian. A \*species of the Caucasus, growing 9 to 12 inches high and bearing erect heads of blue flowers with white centers. July, Aug. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.



GEUM, Lady Stratheden (left) and Mrs. Bradshaw (right), 3 for \$1.50

#### FUNKIA (Hosta) Plantain-Lilv

A very useful plant thriving in almost any position, sun or shade. All varieties except Undulata variegata (which requires sun for its foliage coloration) will do well on the north side of buildings, in beds, used as edging, or interplanted with hardy ferns. The foliage is attractive, as well as the flowers, which are freely produced in August. All listed plants grow 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

Fortunei. Deep blue-green foliage. Pale lilac flowers. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Minor alba. A fine edging plant having white ★flowers in July and August. An excellent perennial, being very floriferous and more dainty in appearance than the older Funkias. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Robusta. White flowers borne in trusses on 2½-foot stems rising above bold blue-green foliage. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Subcordata grandiflora. Large, pure white flowers and bold foliage make this a very attractive variety. Very frogrant 3 for \$2.00.

tractive variety. Very fragrant. 3 for \$2.00;

Undulata variegata. Leaves widely edged and striped white. Lavender flowers. Prefers sunny location, and will be found excellent for edging. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### GERANIUM · Cranesbill

lbericum platypetalum. Lavender-blue flow-\*ers all summer. Attractive serrated foliage which turns bronzy red in fall and lasts nearly all winter. Compact, bushy plants. 3 for \$1.75.

#### GEUM · Avens

Valuable for the sparkling brilliance of their outstanding orange and scarlet colors. Freeflowering, hardy plants that bloom intermittently. They will grow in full sunlight or partial shade in any good garden soil.

Borisi. A dwarf plant with brilliant orange-red thowers. Very free flowering. 10 in. May to Sept. 3 for \$1.50.

Lady Stratheden. Large, double; rich yellow. †2 ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50. Mrs. Bradshaw. Rich orange-colored flowers †on sturdy plants. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50;

#### GRASSES

Festuca glauca. A pretty dwarf Grass, with ★tufts of fine bluish green foliage. 1 ft. 75 cts. each: 3 for \$2.00

Pennisetum japonicum. A splendid Grass grown for its rich mahogany flowers tipped white, and graceful foliage. 3 ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### GYPSOPHILA · Babys-Breath

Bristol Fairy. Double white flowers that are very useful in cut-flower arrangements. Very

†very useful in cut-flower arrangements. Very hardy and long lived. 2 to 3 ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Paniculata fl.-pl. True Double Dutch †Babys-Breath. Double, pure white flowers in great profusion. Best variety for drying. And the hardiest of all the Gypsophilas. 2 to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Paniculata, Flamingo. A fine new introduction tof pink Gypsophila with large double flowers.

for pink Gypsophila with large double flowers. It is of the Bristol Fairy type and a splendid cut-flower. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Repens Bodgeri. Large double white flowers \*\*tinted pink. Compact growth. 1½ to 2 ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Repens, Rosy Veil. Attractive double pink \*\*flowers, good for cutting. Blue-green foliage. 2 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### HELIANTHEMUM · Sunrose

These delightful low-spreading plants are indispensable in the rock-garden or on steep banks, where they form a mat of foliage and furnish a good quantity of bloom from July to September.

Buttercup. Single; golden yellow. 3 for \$1.50;

Mutabile. Flowers pale rose, changing to ★white. May to July. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.



FUNKIA subcordata grandiflora. 3 for \$2.00

#### SCOTCH HEATH AND HEATHER

The majority of the Heaths are low growing and, being evergreen, work in nicely for rockeries. They need a "woodsy" or "peaty" soil similar to one required for Rhododendrons in shade.

We have many more varieties available. Ask for special list.

#### **HEATH** • Erica

Stricta. Corsican Heath. A compact, erect \*grower with pink flowers from July to September. 1 to 2 ft.

#### **HEATHER** • Calluna vulgaris

Alba. White Heather. Pretty nodding white †bell-shaped flowers, on a dense-growing shrub. 1 to 11/2 ft. June to Oct.

Aurea. Foliage golden in summer and red in ★winter, with pretty pink flower bells.

Hirsuta. Woolly Heather. Midseason. Low, ★compact growth. Foliage soft gray; flowers white. 4 to 7 in.

Rubra.★ A red-flowering variety. 1 ft. July. Tenella. Slender Heather. A low grower with †slender spikes of small lavender flowers. Foliage bronze-green in fall. 12 to 15 in. June, July.

Vulgaris. A dense-growing shrub with pretty, tbell-shaped flowers of rosy lavender in great profusion toward the top of the plants. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. July to Oct.

Vulgaris fl. pl. † Double form of the above. All Ericas and Callunas: 60 cts. each

### Special Offer SCOTCH HEATHER

6 PLANTS, 1 each of 6 varieties \$2.95

#### HELENIUM · Helen's Flower

This hardy family of perennials blooms in late summer. The daisy-like flowers are borne in great profusion on bushy, shrub-like plants varying from 3 to 5 feet in height. Very effective for late summer bloom and excellent for cutting. A sunny location and good average garden soil is their only requirement.

Chippersfield Orange. A tall, bushy-growing †variety having gold and copper flowers on every branch. Very showy. 4 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Garden Sun (Gartensonne). Brilliant golden tyellow with velvety brown center. 4 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Peregrinum. A most attractive plant growing to a height of 5 feet and bearing an unusual quantity of reddish bronze flowers in September. For the late summer border; fine also for cutting. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Riverton Gem. Golden yellow flowers changting to red. Splendid for cut-flowers where long stems are desired. 5 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50

#### THE CHRISTMAS ROSE

#### \*Helleborus niger

Our Christmas Roses usually begin blooming after the first cold weather and snow in late fall and continue intermittently through the winter up to late March. They will thrive, bloom and look better when planted in groups of three or more in just an average garden soil. Choose a secluded and shady location near the home; tuck them in close to your favorite evergreens, azaleas, rhododendrons and similar shrubs.

#### 2-Year Potted Plants

All Helleborus are grown from seeds by nurserymen. The general practice is to offer bare-root plants grown from seedlings but we have adopted a system of potting the choice seedlings and growing them on for another season. This eliminates all shock and risk of transplanting and assures you of more and better blooms in a shorter time

Christmas Roses: \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50; 12 for \$13.50



The type of Helleborus plant you will receive



HELLEBORUS NIGER. Christmas Rose, \$1.50 each

#### HELIANTHUS · Sunflower

Loddon Gold. Large, bright yellow flowers

†5 inches in diameter. 4 to 5 ft. Sept., Oct. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Orgyalis. A good yellow. Willow-like foliage. †6 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### **HELIOPSIS**

Scrabra, Gold-Greenheart. New. One of the timest Heliopsis from the standpoint of display and hardiness. Full double, buttercup-yellow flowers, having a greenish center when first opening, changing to a complete yellow when fully open. 3 to 4 ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Scrabra patula. A robust grower with orange-

tyellow flowers turning bright yellow. Flowers vary from semi-double to almost double. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

## HEMEROCALLIS • Daylily

Lily-like plants with grass-like leaves and yellow and orange flowers. They are all easy growers, and do well in partial shade.

Early-flowering Varieties †Dumortieri. Orange-yellow. 2 ft. May, June. †Flava Major. Lemon-yellow; fragrant. 3 ft.

Florham. Golden yellow, trumpet-shaped flowers marked darker yellow. June, July.

Late-flowering Varieties †Fulva. Orange. 2 to 3 ft. July, Aug. †Margaret Perry. Orange-scarlet. 4 ft. †Thunbergi. Pale yellow. 2 to 3 ft. July.

All Hemerocallis: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50

#### Special Offer HEMEROCALLIS (Daylily)

PLANTS, 1 each of 6 varieties (Our selection) . . . . . FOR \$2.65

#### HERBS

The Perennial Herbs are easy to grow and can be readily established in a small space, for the housewife to use in her culinary art.

Chives. The fine leaves are used for flavoring cottage cheese, salads, etc. **Layender.** The leaves and flowers have a de-

lightful perfume. Sachets are made with the dried flowers.

Marjoram. Leaves and shoots are used for seasoning and are also dried for winter use.

Mint. The leaves and stems are used for flavor-

ing and as a garnish for summer beverages.

Peppermint Spearmint Pineapple Mint

Sage. Leaves and tops are used commonly in

the-seasoning of meats.

Sweet Woodruff (Asperula odorata). A fra★grant herb with white flowers. Spreads rapidly.

Excellent for rockeries. When dried, used in flavoring wines. 6 to 8 in. May, June.

Tarragon. The leaves, either fresh or dried, are used for flavoring soups, pickles and vinegar.

The finely chopped fresh leaves are used in

All Herbs: 3 of one variety for \$1.35; 10 of one variety for \$4.00

#### HEUCHERA · Coral-Bells

Freedom. Produces long sprays of dainty light

Red Pimpernel. A scarce, outstanding va-★riety having very bright scarlet flowers. 1 to 1½ ft. June to Sept. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00. Rosmondi. A very pleasing coral-pink. June

\*to Sept.

Sanguinea. Bright crimson flowers borne in ★long, graceful sprays for weeks in succession. Excellent for cut-flowers. 1½ ft.

White Pearl. Large, pure white bells. May

\*to Sept.

All Heucheras: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50, except where noted Varieties daggered (†) are suitable for cutflowers.

#### HIBISCUS . Marsh Mallow or Mallow Marvels

Giant-flowered. The mammoth, hollyhockshaped flowers range in color from white to pink to crimson. They are very easily grown in all types of soil and like plenty of moisture. Provide a 6-inch covering of leaves when planting in the fall. Offered in assorted colors. Extra-strong, 3-year plants. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$35.00.

HYPERICUM

Calycinum. Aarons-Beard. Rapidly spread-★ing sub-shrub with golden yellow flowers. 1 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Grandiflorum. A very low-growing variety 
★ having extra large, soft buttercup-yellow flowers. Blooms abundantly. 3 for \$1.50;

flowers. Blooms abundantly. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Moserianum. Goldflower. Golden yellow with crimson stamens. 1½ ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

IBERIS · Candytuft

Sempervirens. Evergreen Candytuft. Splen-

\*\*did rock and edging plant. 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Sempervirens, Little Gem. A compact, \*\*globular plant covered with snow-white flowers. 6 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Sempervirens, Snowflake. Large green cush ★ions bearing an abundance of large, pure white flowers. 18 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10

INCARVILLEA delavayi. One of the best sorts for rock-gardens, growing about 12 inches high, with large crimson-purple, gloxinia-like flowers. You'll love its foliage, too. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### IRIS GERMANICA Bearded Iris

These are real Iris gems for the home gardener who wants to be sure to make a good beginning.

For Fall Delivery Only

California Gold. Large, bright yellow. E. B. Williamson. Lustrous coppery red. Golden Majesty. Very large, clear golden

flowers. **Louvois.** Rich maroon-brown. Missouri. Enormous flowers of rich medium blue.

Nene. Very large. Standards soft lilac; falls rich old-rose.

Radiant. Standards golden bronze; falls copperv rec

Shining Waters. Deep sky-blue. Snow King. Large flowers of pure white. The Admiral. Brilliant dark violet-blue.

The Black Douglas. One of the finest; deep reddish purple.

Wabash. Dykes Medal Winner. Standards glistening snow-white; falls vivid hyacinth-violet, with ½-inch snow-white margin.

All Bearded Iris: 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75,

**Your Selection** 

### Special Offer IRIS GERMANICA

12 PLANTS, 1 each of all the Iris Germanica . . . . . . FOR \$5.00

(Regular value \$6.00)

#### PRICES

All Perennials are more attractive when planted in groups of at least three or more of one variety. We suggest this be considered when ordering and planting. Our prices are made accordingly. Perennials are sold in units of three or more unless an each price is quoted.



JAPANESE IRIS . 3 for \$1.35

#### IRIS KAEMPFERI Japanese Iris

"The Hardy Garden Orchid"

Unlike German Iris, the Japanese varieties enjoy almost unlimited quantities of fertilizer and swampy ground, but any good well-drained soil will encourage sturdy growth and amazing blooms if they are given plenty of water during the dry season. They come into bloom right after the German Iris and are at their best in July.

Amethyst. Exquisite lavender shade. Large,

†wavy petals.

Bride. Red-violet, heavily veined white. 3
†large petals.

Firefly. Deep purple; golden yellow center. 6

Gold Bound. Pure white; yellow center. 6

†petals. **Mount Hood.** Light blue, shaded a darker blue.

†6 petals. Noranea. Single. Bluish white with bluish

†stigmas. 3 petals.

Ondine. Pure white, shaded blue in center;

tyery large beautiful flower. 3 petals.

†very large, beautiful flower. 3 petals.
†Orion. White, bordered maroon-red. 6 petals.
Peace. Purple, yellow blotches tipped blue.
†6 petals.

Prince Camille de Rohan. Rich reddish purtple with indigo-blue. 6 petals.

Princess Clothilde. Porcelain-blue on an ash-

**Princess Clothilde.** Porcelain-blue on an ash-tgray background. 6 petals.

Rosanne. Light purple with heavy purple tveins; stigmas dark plum color. Excellent. 6 petals.

All Japanese Iris: 3 of one variety for \$1.35; 10 of one variety for \$4.00

#### SPECIAL OFFER-JAPANESE IRIS

6 plants, 1 each of 6 varieties (Our selection)

for \$2.35

12 plants, 2 each of 6 varieties (Our selection) for \$4.50

#### LINUM · Flax

**Perenne.** A very effective blue perennial growting to 18 inches high. Plant en masse for best showing. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Varieties starred  $(\bigstar)$  are suitable for rock-gardens.

#### **LEONTOPODIUM** · Edelweiss

Alpinum. Bridal Flower of the Alps. A ★choice, hardy rock plant. The leaves are silvery gray and lie almost flat on the ground. From the center grows a flower stem which has three or four star-like, white woolly flowers. Prefers light soil and will grow in rock crevices. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 10 for \$7.50.

#### LIATRIS · Gayfeather

The sturdy, long stems or spikes of Liatris are excellent for cutting. It is one of the hardiest and most easily grown of all true perennials.

Longifolia punctata. Late flowering. Short †spikes of rosy purple. 2 ft. Sept. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

**Pycnostachya.** Kansas Gayfeather. Purple. 4 to 5 ft. Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

**Scariosa alba.** New. The snowy white spikes treate a most striking effect in the border for several weeks during midsummer. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Scariosa, September Glory. Lovely purple fflowers produced during late August and September. Fine companion for *L. scariosa alba*. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### **LITHOSPERMUM**

Heavenly Blue. Vivid gentian-blue flowers ★ and prostrate evergreen foliage. Forms a dense mat; flowers are about 3 inches high. Blooms all summer. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### LOBELIA · Cardinal-Flower

Cardinalis. Grows best in partial shade. Red. †Through careful seed selection, we have developed a superior strain of both the red and the blue Lobelia. The flower-spikes are larger and more brilliantly colored than the native types. 3 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### LYTHRUM · Loosestrife

**Dropmore Purple.** New. Blooms continuously †from June to September and especially valuable for midsummer color when blues and purples are always scarce. Very showy purple spikes, with no trace of Magenta, grow up to 3 or 4 feet. 3 for \$2.00.

Morden's Pink. A most ornamental border †plant of bushy, compact habit. Flowers clear pink. 3 to 4 ft. July to frost. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Salicaria, The Beacon. Clear carmine-red †flowers on large spikes. For the border or mass planting. 3½ to 4 ft. July to frost. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.



LEONTOPODIUM alpinum. Edelweiss. 3 for \$2.75



PACHYSANDRA

#### PACHYSANDRA · Japanese Spurge

Terminalis. Most useful for planting in dense ★shade where few other plants will grow or for bordering walks and drives. The glossy foliage remains green winter and summer. Its inconspicuous greenish white flowers are produced in May and June. 6 to 9 in. Our potgrown plants are incomparably superior to the field-grown ones usually offered. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00.

#### MEGASEA (Bergenia)

Plants with decorative, almost evergreen, shiny foliage; April and May. Will thrive in sun or partial shade. Flowers keep well when cut. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall.

Cordifolia. Light pink. 75 cts. each; 3 for †\$2.00.

Cordifolia alba. Habit the same as above, but twhite flowers. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### MERTENSIA

For Fall Delivery Only

Virginica. Virginia Bluebells. Flowers blue, ★funnel-formed, in nodding clusters. Splendid in cool, moist, shady places. Should not be disturbed when once planted. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Varieties starred  $(\bigstar)$  are suitable for rockgardens. Varieties daggered  $(\dagger)$  are suitable for cut-flowers.

#### MONARDA

pidyma, Cambridge Scarlet. Bee-Balm. †Compact scarlet flower-heads attractive to bees. An old, reliable perennial that improves with age. 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**Didyma alba.** White-flowered form, with tgrowth like Cambridge scarlet. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**Didyma, Croftway Pink.** A very fine mass of telear pink flowers during the off-season of July and August. Grows well in semi-shade or sun, moist or dry places. Excellent for city gardens. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### NEPETA · Catnip

Mussini. A native of Persia producing a springy ★ mat of soft velvety green, with mauve flowers. 8 in. April to June. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Mussini, Six Hills Giant. Dense tufts of small ★light lavender-colored flowers. Compact plants with soft gray-green foliage for edging. Apr. to June. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00; 100 for \$30.00.

#### NIEREMBERGIA · Cup-Flower

Rivularis. White-Cup. An excellent dwarf, ★creeping alpine plant, with cup-shaped, creamy white flowers. 8 in. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

For a brilliant, bold color effect in mass during the late summer and autumn, the Hardy Phlox (decussata types) are indispensable. Without them it would be difficult to maintain the display of color during July and August when sometimes there is little else in bloom in the perennial border. The low-growing or trailing subulata and certain species of Phlox blooming

in April, May and June may be considered a preview to the taller and more showy Phlox to come in later summer.

Simple of culture, they require only a fairly rich soil and water. The removal of flower-heads after blooms are faded will encourage new flowers from side shoots to lengthen the blooming period.

### PHLOX DECUSSATA

#### 3 New and Outstanding Varieties

Mies Copyn. Large florets of pure pink, with tdarker eye. Different than any other pink Phlox.

Progress. Easily the most popular lavendertblue Phlox with purple-blue eyes. Very large, shapely florets borne on big, symmetrical trusses which are carried on sturdy stems.

Spitfire. Fiery reddish orange. A very robust †grower; the flowers last for weeks and do not fade during hot weather. The graceful branching habit of the panicles is also a distinguishing characteristic.

#### 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 6 of one variety \$3.00

B. Comte. Tall-growing variety producing tlarge heads of rich satiny red turning to amaranth. Very brilliant. Looks well planted close to a vellow-flowered plant.

Caroline Vandenberg. Very showy Iavendertblue flowers. A free bloomer of medium height.

Count Zeppelin. Large white trusses, each floret having a red center.

**Daily Sketch.** The finest pink Phlox. Re-†markable for its enormous florets and huge trusses of lovely pink with a deeper eye.

Eva Foerster. Very large flowers and trusses tof bright salmon-rose with white eye.

Fiancee. One of the best pure whites. A strong

Flash, Gorgeous new variety. Carmine-crimson flowers with orange-scarlet center. Blooms freely; medium height.

**Katherine.** A remarkably fine light lavender twith a whitish eye.

Mary Louise. Glistening, waxy white flowers tin extra-large heads. Prolific blooms with good foliage. One of the better whites.

†Royal Purple. The name describes the color.

All above Phlox: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 6 of one variety for \$2.75

#### SPECIAL OFFER HARDY GARDEN PHLOX

5 plants, 1 each of 5 named varieties (Our selection of blended colors) for \$2.50 (Regular value \$2.75)

10 plants, 2 each of 5 named varieties (Our selection of blended colors) for \$4.65 (Regular value \$5.50)

#### PHLOX SUBULATA

#### Mountain Pinks

Mountain Pinks flower in great profusion. They are low and spreading, with narrow mosslike foliage. Excellent for carpeting banks and rocks or may be used as an edging. 3 to 6 in. April, May.

\*Alba. White.

\*Atropurpurea. Purple.

\*Blue Hills. Blue.

★Camlaensis. Salmon-pink.

All Mountain Pinks: 3 of one variety for \$1.35; 6 of one variety for \$2.50

Your inquiries by mail, phone, or in person are heartily welcome.

Telephone: RUtherford 2-0700



#### PHLOX ARENDSI HYBRIDS

These are hybrids between P. canadensis and P. decussata. They flower early in spring and when cut back several times during the summer they will continue to bloom until fall. This "Everblooming Phlox" is a worthy asset to any border, being very floriferous, and on account of its low height (about 1 foot) and spreading nature, it is very useful for edging herbaceous borders or in solid beds of one color, to create a magnificent mass effect.

Charlotte. A very fine white, changing to lilac, ★having a dark lilac eye.

★Hilda. A very good soft lilac. Pink eye.

★Kathy. Purplish rose with a dark eye. 20 in. ★Marianne. Dark bluish violet.

All Phlox Arendsi Hybrids: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 6 of one variety for \$3.50

#### PHLOX SPECIES

**Divaricata.** Large, fragrant, lavender flowers ★on stems 10 inches high. This Phlox with bleeding-heart and Alyssum saxatile makes a fine display. Also makes an excellent ground-cover. May, June.

Ovata. Bright rosy red flowers. 1-ft. stems.

★June, July

★June, July.

Ovata pulchra. New. A rare jewel for any ★garden. Large trusses of long-lasting, lustrous shell-pink flowers, forming a beautiful plant 8 to 10 inches high. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

Suffruticosa, Burns. Deep rose-purple.

Suffruticosa, Miss Lingard. Pure white, †with pale pink centers. 2 ft. May to Oct.

Suffruticosa, Ringleader. Pyramidal trusses for soft red. 2½ ft. July to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75.

All Phlox Species: 3 of one variety for \$1.35; 6 of one variety for \$2.50, except where noted



PHLOX SUBULATA

#### PEONY

#### King of All Perennials

There are many reasons why Peonies deserve the high place they have among garden plants. They are extra hardy and after the toughest of winters the herbaceous types never fail to push their pink shoots through the ground at their appointed time.

#### For Fall Shipment Only

DELIVERY IN SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER AND EARLY NOVEMBER. ALL 2-YEAR PLANTS (SUPERIOR TO DIVISIONS).

Peony Ratings: The rating after each variety name is the average tabulated vote by members of the American Peony Society. 10 represents absolute perfection.

**Adolphe Rousseau.** 8.5. Lustrous rich dark red to garnet. Very early. \$1.50 each.

Albert Crousse. 8.6. Bright pink; excellent form; fragrant. Very late. \$1.50 each.

Baroness Schroeder. 9.0. Creamy white with •unusual depth and size. Late. \$1.50 each.

Cherry Hill. 8.6. A very good color-maroon with a glistening sheen, showing many yellow stamens. Very early. \$1.50 each.

Felix Crousse. 8.4. Brilliant, dazzling red, ruby-• flame center. One of the oldest and most dependable reds. Midseason. \$1.00 each.

Festiva Maxima. 9.3. Very large, pure white
Peony with center petalage tipped with carmine-red spots. Fragrant. Early. \$1.00 each.
Inspecteur Lavergne. 8.7. Well shaped, beautiful deep red. Early. \$2.00 each.

Karl Rosenfield. 8.8. Crimson-red. Midseason. \$1.00 each.

Lady Alexandra Duff. 9.1. Rosy pink shaded white. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Le Cygne. 9.9. Truly a creamy white with perfect form and character. Very fragrant. Midseason. \$3.00 each.

Lord Kitchener. 7.6. Bright red, with prominent guard petals; bomb type. Very early. \$1.50 each

Mons. Jules Elie. 9.2. The finest silvery pink. Very early. \$2.00 each.

Mons. Martin Cahuzac. 8.8. This is the deepest red of all Peonies. Early. \$2.50 each.

Mrs. Edward Harding. 9.3. The finest white,

illumined by golden stamens. \$2.00 each.

Officinalis alba plena. 8.6. Referred to as the "old-fashioned Peony." Milky white. The first double white Peony to bloom. Very early. \$2.00 each.

Officinalis rubra plena. 8.6. Referred to as the "Old-fashioned Peony." Brilliant red. The first double red Peony to bloom. Very early. \$2.00 each.

Primevere. 8.6. Sometimes referred to as the yellow Peony, although the guard petals are white; very fragrant. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
 Reine Hortense. 8.7. An even shade of clear

pink delicately flecked crimson. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Richard Carvel. 8.8. Bright crimson. Extra early. \$1.50 each.

Sarah Bernhardt. 9.0. An even shade of lovely opure pink. Very late. \$1.50 each.

Solange. 9.7. Brownish cream—a very unusual color. Nice form. Late, \$1.50 each.

Therese. 9.8. Very pale old-rose-pink with a golden glow in the center; very large. Midseason. \$1.50 each.

Walter Faxon. 9.3. Luminous salmon-pink. • Midseason. \$1.50 each.

#### SPECIAL PEONY OFFER

6 plants, 1 of each marked with black dot for \$7.85 (Regular value \$9.50)

10 plants, 1 of each marked with red dot for \$13.50 (Regular value \$15.50)



GOOD RED PEONIES ARE IN THIS LIST



THE BEST PINK PEONIES ARE OFFERED

#### TREE PEONIES

A special list of varieties available this fall will be mailed upon request. Also Japanese herbaceous varieties.

#### PENSTEMON · Beard-Tongue

Barbatus, Rose Elf. Should be in every garden. †Clear rose-colored flowers from June until August. Quite different from the common Penstemon and a great improvement. 24 to 36 in. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Barbatus Torreyi. Tall spikes of brilliant scar-

tlet flowers. A most charming border plant. 4 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Pink Beauty. A fine new variety distinguished the third that the t 2 to 3 ft. June to July. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### PETASITES

Albus. This most unusual plant provides broad, tropical-like foliage. Thrives best in moist spots. The leaves are enormous, often as large as 4 feet in diameter. The flowers are incon-spicuous and are of little consequence, only about 4 inches across. The plant must be con-sidered a curiosity or oddity and therein lies its appeal. Grows to 5 feet. \$1.00 each;

#### **PHYSALIS**

Bunyardi. Chinese Lantern-Plant. Extensively used for their lantern-like fruits. This variety has glowing red pods and is better and more showy than the older P. Francheti. 3 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### **PHYSOSTEGIA** False Dragonhead

Perfectly hardy and very easy to grow in practically all locations. Physostegias are indispensable for August and September color in the garden and home.

Rosy Spire. The showy spikes of deep rosy terimson blooms are fine for cutting. Blooms in mid-September. 3½ ft.

Virginiana alba, Improved. Gives a grand †display of large white spikes in August and September. This is a very special strain resulting from years of personal selection of seed by Mr. Bobbink. The bloom spikes are about 6 inches taller than the ordinary form and all flowers on the spike open at the same time.

Virginiana grandiflora, Vivid. Remains dwarf tand stays within bounds, giving a grand dis-play of large rose-pink spikes in August and September. Excellent for groups in a front border and for cutting.

All Physostegias: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50

#### **PLATYCODON** Balloon-Flower

Free-flowering plants of erect habit with balloon-shaped buds and star-shaped flowers. Very beautiful.

**Grandiflorum.** Deep blue. Strong branching †habit. 2 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00. Grandiflorum Mariesi. Deep blue, balloon-\*shaped flowers on erect stems. 1 ft. June,

July. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00. Grandiflorum Mariesi album. Same as above ★but having white flowers. 1 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

**Grandiflorum præcox giganteum.** Early-flowering, large form of Mariesi. Very soft violet. 2 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for

#### PLUMBAGO · Leadwort

Larpentiæ. Blue Leadwort. Deep blue flowers \*completely cover the compact plant. 6 to 12 in. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.25.

#### POLEMONIUM

Reptans. Feathery foliage and dense masses of ★bell-like, lavender-blue flowers. 8 to 10 in. Apr., May. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### POLYGONATUM Giant Solomons-Seal

Multiflorum giganteum. Strong-growing †plant with arching stems, the upper half bearing clusters of large, pure white flowers resembling giant lily-of-the-valley. Plant in shade in "woodsy" soil. 2 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50.



Varieties starred  $(\bigstar)$  are suitable for rockgardens. Varieties daggered  $(\dagger)$  are suitable for cut-flowers.



PRIMULA (denticulata cashmiriana)

#### POPPIES

#### Papaver orientale

For Fall Shipment Only

Oriental Poppies flower in May and June and undoubtedly eclipse all other Poppies in their lavish display of color. Height 2 to 3 feet.

Almost any kind of soil will suit them, but they will do best in a deep rich loam. Water well during dry spells, and cover the plants with leaves in the fall.

Barr's White. Very large, heavily creped white flowers. 3 for \$2.00.Beauty of Livermere. Brilliant dark crimson.

Cedar Hill. Pink blooms 5 inches wide. Very

Ethel Swete. Cherry-pink with dark blotches. Glowing Embers. Deeply crinkled, cup-shaped blooms of medium red.

Grand Mogul. Bright red blooms with big black blotches

Helen Elizabeth. Pink flowers without dark spots.

Henry Cayeux Improved. An unusual color. Large blooms of old-rose shaded burgundy.

King George. Bright scarlet with deeply fringed petals.

Sass Pink. Light flesh-pink.

All Poppies: 3 of one variety for \$1.50 except where noted

#### SPECIAL OFFER OF POPPIES For Fall Delivery

6 varieties, our selection to include \$2.65 the color range, labeled for. . (Regular value \$3.00)

12 plants, 2 each of 6 varieties

\$4.85

#### POTENTILLA · Cinquefoil

Attractive plants for the border or rockery, producing brilliant flowers from June to August, with strawberry-like foliage.

Miss Willmott. Fine rose-pink flowers in July, ★August and later. 4 to 5 in. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Tridentata. A shrubby little plant that makes ★a good ground-cover. Leathery foliage; small white flowers. 1 ft. June to Aug. 3-inch pots. 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00.

Verna nana. Pure gold-colored flowers. Dwarf. \*compact. Grows best in full sun in common garden soil. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Wm. Rollison. A fine, unusual rare hybrid. ★Considered one of the finest Potentillas, having semi-double, dark orange flowers with yellow centers. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### PRIMULA · Primrose

Primulas in their varied forms and colors are among the earliest of spring flowers. They are ideal for shady spots in the rock-garden or in the shade of evergreens, trees, and shrubs. They like a rich loam with a liberal quantity of peat moss or leaf mold and need plenty of moisture from April right on through the summer and fall seasons.

and fall seasons.

Acaulis. The true English Primrose. Mixed ★colors; tufted rosettes of leaves. 6 to 8 in. April to June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Auricula. A lovely alpine variety. Native to ★the Swiss and Austrian Alps. Requiring some shade, and good drainage. Blooms from April till June and on occasion again in the fall. Colors vary from yellow to lavender. 4 to 5 in. 3 for \$1.75.

★small rosy-pink flowers in great profusion during April and May. 6 to 9 in. 3 for \$1.75.

Denticulata. This variety was originally brought from the Himalayas. Large, globular heads of heliotrope-blue flowers are close set on strong, stout stems. 12 to 15 in. The earli-

est Primrose to bloom. 3 for \$1.75.

Japonica. Candelabra type. Flowers vary from crimson to pink and almost white, in whorls on long stems. Summer flowering. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Juliae, Wanda. A dwarf variety flowering in \*spring. Deep blue-purple flowers cover the plant for weeks. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Polyantha. An old favorite with trusses of \*large flowers in various shades from white through yellow, rose, and carmine to scarlet. 1 ft. Apr., May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$35.00.

Polyantha, Colossal. Very large flowers 2 finches across, produced in great numbers. Colors range from white to\_cream, yellow,

Colors range from white to cream, yellow, scarlet, purple and crimson. Borne on strong stems, they are fine for cutting. 3 for \$1.75.

Polyantha, Gold Laced. Flower rich yellow ★in color with a lighter colored eye; petals dark crimson or red, with a gold edging lacing each individual petal. 3 for \$1.50.

Rosea Grandiflora. A little carmine-pink ★gem, blooming in spring. 6 to 8-inch stem. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Sieboldi. A very hardy, delicate-appearing

Sieboldi. A very hardy, delicate-appearing, \*creeping type; soft crumply foliage, and has fine fringed flowers on 10 to 15-inch stems. April, May. Mixed colors. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Veris Duplex (Hose-in-Hose). An unusual ★type of Primrose, each pale yellow flower having a duplicate within itself. Very hardy, May. 65 cts. each; 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

#### SPECIAL PRIMULA OFFER

Outstanding Varieties (our selection) . . . . For \$3.25 Each plant labeled

We will also have, in limited quantities, such **Primula** varieties as **Littoniana**, **Pulverulenta** and Florinda at \$1.00 each. (Spring only.)

#### PYRETHRUM · Painted Daisy

For cut-flower use Pyrethrums are very desirable, for they last longer in water than most other flowers. They begin to bloom in June, and their attractive appearance both indoors and in the garden makes them top favorites. They grow best in a sunny location in good garden soil. Height 18 to 24 inches.

†Eileen May Robinson. See page 25.

Pink Bouquet. Lovely double flowers with trosy pink ray petals surrounding a large cushion of white. A grand cut-flower. Carries five or six flowers on stiff stems that stand erect under all weather conditions. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Roseum. These plants include all colors from †deep red to various shades of rose to pure white. 2½ ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

†Scarlet Glow. See page 25.



RUDBECKIA · Coneflower

Purpurea. Purple Coneflower. Large, purpletred, daisy-like flowers; cone-shaped center. 3 to 4 ft. July to Oct. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### SAGINA · Pearlwort

Glabra. A very low-growing plant, moss-like in ★appearance. Tiny white flowers in July and August. Excellent to use between stepping-stones. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.



PRIMULA japonica



Varieties starred (★) are suitable for rockgardens.

SALVIA · Sage

Nemorosa superba, Improved. Violet Sage. The flower spikes are a lovely dark violet-blue with a maroon calvx and are carried well above ne foliage. They bloom all summer, when plue in the perennial border is always needed. This rare variety has been counted among the best twelve perennials. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Pitcheri. Blue Meadow Sage. Deep indigothlue flowers produced in great profusion on slender stalks. 3 to 4 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### SANTOLINA

Incana. Lavender-Cotton. Dwarf evergreen ★ perennial growing about 1½ feet high. Silvery white foliage. Small yellow flowers in July. Fine for edging. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00; 100

#### SCABIOSA · Pincushion-Flower

**Caucasica.** A handsome, hardy plant that the thing the thing that the things of the t lilac flowers. Vigorous grower. 2 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Caucasica alba. Unusual and rare. Pure white. †3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### SEDUM · Stonecrop

This interesting and useful family of plants in general has thick glaucous leaves. They are very hardy and remarkably drought resistant. They are fine for edging or the herbaceous border. Good in either sun or semi-shade.

Sieboldi. A fine rose-pink variety growing to

★9 inches. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Spectabile, Brilliant. Very large heads of

★deep rosy crimson flowers. Outstanding for
its foliage and impressive flower-heads. 1 ft.

Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Spectabile atropurpureum. Similar to the ★above but deeper in color. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

#### SPIRAEA

Filipendula fl.-pl. Feather-like plumes of †double, creamy white flowers. 1½ ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Ulmaria plena. Double creamy white, feathery †flowers on 3-foot stems. Long-lasting cut-flowers. Early summer. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Venusta magnifica. Martha Washington Plume. One of the most beautiful of all herbaceous Spireas-a new and superior form of S. venusta for the border, not bothered with S. venusta for the border, not bothered with mildew, and growing 3 to 4 feet high in or-dinary garden soil. Flowers deep rose, much larger than the common Venusta. Extremely hardy in cold climates and does well in full sun or partial shade; plant about 1½ feet apart each way. This variety is well named, as Venusta means "resembling the goddess Venus." 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00.

#### STOKESIA

Cyanea superba. A greatly improved Cornfflower Aster with the finest sky-blue flowers averaging 3 to 4 inches across. It is so easy to grow and therefore is especially valuable when good blue flowers in the border are scarce. Beginning to bloom in July, it continues throughout summer until early October. Very hardy and free of all pests. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Lævis (cyanea). Cornflower Aster. A hand-†some native plant with fine sky-blue flowers 3 to 4 inches across. 2 ft. July to Oct. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

> Your inquiries by mail, phone, or in person are heartily welcome. Telephone: RUtherford 2-0700

#### TEUCRIUM · Germander

Chamædrys. Compact bushes with small, †spiny, dark green leaves surmounted by spikes of lavender-pink. Practically evergreen, it may be clipped to any desired height. 1 ft. July, Aug. 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.50; 100 for \$25.00.

#### THALICTRUM · Meadow-Rue

Its dainty, feathery flower-clusters and finely cut foliage make this an elegant perennial for border backgrounds or cut-flowers. Requires a well-drained soil but will grow in sun or shade.

Aquilegifolium purpureum. Soft purplish †lavender flowers. 2 to 3 ft. June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Dipterocarpum. Bears countless numbers of flilac-mauve flowers with bright yellow anthers on immense branching panicles. 4 ft. Aug.,

#### **THYMUS**

Serpyllum albus. White Mountain Thyme. ★Dense mats of dark green foliage and clouds of white flowers. Fine for rockwork. 3 to 4 in. June, July. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Serpyllum citriodorus. Lemon-scented

Serpyllum citriodorus. Lemon-scented \*Thyme. Tiny pink flowers and fragrant foliage. Fine for rock-gardens. 4 in. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Serpyllum coccineus. Dark green foliage. ★Bright red flowers. 3 to 5 in. June, July. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

Serpyllum lanuginosus. Woolly-leaved **★Thyme.** Quick-spreading plant, effective for rockeries; flowers reddish pink. 5 in. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.25; 10 for \$3.00.

#### TRITOMA · Torch-Lily

**Hybrids, Assorted Colors.** A blending of torange-scarlet and suffused tones of yellow. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### **NEW AND IMPROVED TRITOMA** HYBRIDS

Bright shades of yellow and orange not heretofore produced in the Tritoma family. also cover a wider bloom season than the older varieties.

Golden Sceptre. Its saffron-yellow, 3-foot spikes create a fine display in summer. Vigorous grower, and also attractive when not in flower. June, July.

Goldmine. Coppery gold spikes 2½ feet high.

Flowers freely from August to October.

**Primrose Beauty.** Clear primrose-yellow. †Spikes over 3 feet tall tower on a graceful plant and flower in late summer.

Robustus. A very heavy flower spike of yellow with red tip. Very floriferous.

Skyrocket. A fine light yellow having fiery red tips. This is a tall-growing variety, often attaining a height of 40 to 50 inches. A very free bloomer.

Vanilla. Dwarf, free-flowering, clear pale yelflow. Produces numerous 2-foot spikes and has grass-like foliage. June.

White Giant. Immense white spikes.
All Tritomas: 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25

#### TROLLIUS . Globe-Flower

These beautiful hardy plants, with handsome foliage and very showy flowers, are well adapted for half-shady or sunny positions, flowering from May to July. They are fine for moist places, but dislike dryness.

Excelsior. Deep orange Goldquelle. Orange-yellow.

Ledebouri. Large, orange-yellow flowers. †Blooms until end of June. 3 to 4 ft. Miss Mary Russell. Light yellow.

All Trollius: 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50

#### VALERIANA Hardy Garden Heliotrope

Officinalis alba. Fragrant white flowers. Likes †a sunny location and moist soil. 3 to 4 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Officinalis rubra. Habits similar to above, but

†not so high. Flowers red. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for

#### **VERONICA** · Speedwell

Blue Spire. Deep rich blue spikes on a bushy †plant with an extremely long flowering period. 2 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Incana. Silvery gray foliage; spikes of violet-blue. ★1 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Incana rosea. The true pink variety of V. †incana. 1 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for

Rupestris. A fine trailing plant for the rockery ★or slope. Makes a carpet of leaves; brilliant blue flowers. May. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Rupestris alba. Same as above, but white ★flowers. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

#### VINCA · Periwinkle

A highly recommended evergreen trailer that is fine for covering graves, terraces, banks, alongside walks, or in the foreground of foundation plantings. All Vincas in 3-inch pots.

**Minor.** Lilac-blue flower. 3 in. April, May. ★10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50; 100 for \$15.00.

Minor alba. A fine white form of the above. ★May. 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.50.

Minor, Bowles' Variety. This is an improvement over the old V. minor, having richer foliage and larger, deeper blue flowers. It blooms profusely in early spring and again in the fall. 3 in. April, Oct. 10 for \$2.50; 25 for \$5.50; 100 for \$20.00.

## VIOLETS

#### Viola odorata

A cool, damp, shady place suits Violets best. Here they will bloom freely and come back year after year.

Pilkington. A new dark purple with stems of ★good length.

Rosina. Vigorous. Old-rose; very fragrant. 6 in. ★April to Oct. 3 for \$1.35; 10 for \$4.00.

Royal Robe. The blossoms are fragrant and topen out flat like a pansy or viola. Their fragrance, one of the most important of all points, is detectable many yards away, and will fill the air of your garden with this most delightful of all perfumes. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

★Single Russian. Blue; sweet-scented. Snow Queen. White with a small inconspicuous ★lavender heart.

All Violets: 3 of one variety for \$1.25; 10 of one variety for \$3.00, except where noted



TROLLIUS, Globe-Flower

#### YUCCA · Adams Needle

Filamentosa. One or two of these plants in the border will be most effective. The immense, pyramidal clusters of creamy flowers on spikes 4 to 6 feet tall are outstanding. The foliage is evergreen. 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50.



VINCA minor. 10 for \$2.00

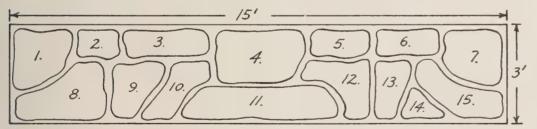
## PERENNIALS SUITABLE FOR CUT-FLOWERS

Achillea Aconitum Fischeri Aconitum, Sparks' Variety Anemone hupehensis and varieties Aquilegia in variety Artemisia, Silver King Asclepias tuberosa Aster alpinus Aster yunnanensis, Napsbury Aster hybridus luteus Buddleia in variety Campanula in variety Centaurea Chrysanthemum in variety Convallaria majalis Delphinium in variety Doronicum in variety Echinops, Taplow Blue Eryngium in variety Gypsophila in variety Helenium in variety Heliopsis Helleborus niger Heuchera in variety
Iris (German and Japanese) Liatris In variety Papaver (Oriental Poppy) Peony in variety Physalis Bunyardi Physostegia in variety Rudbeckia Thalictrum Tritoma



Any well-spaded garden soil will grow these sturdy perennials for years to come with a minimum of labor and expense. They will provide a permanent, colorful border from early summer until late fall and fine cut-flowers for home decoration. The low price of these valuable groups is made possible by economy in digging and packing many orders of this nature.

#### LARGE ALL-SEASON PERENNIAL BORDER



#### Key Quantity Variety

- 1 4 Coreopsis lanceolata
- 2 2 Phlox, Fiancee
- 3 2 Lythrum, Mordens Pink
- 4 4 Helianthus, Loddon Gold
- 5 2 Aster, Harrington's Pink
- 6 3 Hybrid White Delphinium
- 7 3 Chrysanthemum, Large-flowering
- 8 5 Aquilegia, Long-spurred Hybrids

#### Key Quantity Variety

- 9 3 Monarda, Croftway Pink
- 10 3 Veronica, Blue Spire
- 11 5 Physostegia, Vivid
- 12 4 Gaillardia
- 13 3 Phlox, Flash
- 14 2 Dianthus, White Reserve
  - 5 Liatris punctata

## 50 NURSERY-GROWN PLANTS for \$19.50

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## PERENNIALS SUITABLE FOR ROCK-GARDENS

Achillea, Boule de Neige Anemone Pulsatilla and varieties Arabis in variety Armeria in variety Aster, Mauve Cushion Calluna vulgaris rubra Campanula carpatica Campanula carpatica alba Campanula Poscharskyana Dianthus Dicentra Epimedium in variety Erica stricta Euonymus kewensis Festuca glauca Fuchsia, Tom Thumb Gentiana Geranium Platypetalum Gypsophila Bodgeri Gypsophila, Rosy Veil Helianthemum in variety Helleborus niger Hypericum grandiflorum Iberis in variety Leontopodium alpinum Nepeta Mussini Nierembergia rivularis Phlox Arendsi, Kathy Phlox divaricata Phlox ovata pulchra Phlox subulata in variety Platycodon Mariesi Platycodon Mariesi album Plumbago Larpentiæ Polemonium reptans Potentilla tridentata Potentilla verna nana Primula in variety
Sagina glabra
Sedum Sieboldi
Spiræa Filipendula fl.-pl. Thymus Veronica incana Veronica incana rosea Veronica rupestris Veronica rupestris alba Viola odorata

#### PERENNIALS FOR SHADY PLACES

Asperula odorata Astilbe in variety
Campanula persicifolia Dicentra eximia Doronicum, Goldstreet Doronicum, Mine. Mason Epimedium in variety Ferns (Hardy) in variety Fuchsia (Hardy) Funkia in variety Geranium platypetalum Geum Borisi Helleborus niger Hemerocallis (Daylily) Hypericum in variety Megasea cordifolia Pachysandra Petasites albus Phlox Arendsi Hybrids Phlox divaricata Phlox ovata pulchra Polygonatum Primula in variety Vinca in variety Viola odorata in variety

#### PERENNIAL GROUND-COVERS

Pachysandra terminalis Potentilla tridentata Vinca minor and varieties

## ANNUALS FOR MORE COLOR IN SUMMER

While perennial borders are more or less permanent by nature, there are certain times when color may be lacking and we therefore suggest interplanting Annuals in the foreground. From about Mid-May on through early June we have a wide selection of annuals including Heliotrope, Lantanas, Salvia, white and red, etc., all potgrown at an average cost of \$25.00 per 100. These are mainly for patrons within motoring distance.



ASHES OF ROSES. 3 for \$2.00

#### GROUP OFFER OF **FIVE NEW "MUMS"**

On This Page Ashes of Roses **Princess Elsie Princess Marie Princess Anne Princess Nora** 

One of each for \$3.00 (Regular value \$3.75)

Two of each for \$5.50 (Ten plants)

Note: Ashes of Roses, Lavender Belle, Princess Anne and Princess Marie are all new seedlings resulting from years of painstaking hybridizing by Mr. Louis Reichert of Belle Harbor, N. Y.



PRINCESS ANNE. 3 for \$2.00

#### **NEW INTRODUCTIONS**

#### Anemone-flowered type. ASHES OF ROSES

†One of the finest garden Mums ever introduced. This new Anemone-flowered Chrysanthemum has a name which fully describes its warm, pleasing outer petal rays. The center is a large cushion of adighter color. Produces quantities of flowers, many measuring 3 to 4 inches across, on good sturdy stems. M-1. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### PRINCESS ANNE

This is another new seedling showing the unique pincushion, Anemone-flowered center but the surrounding petals are the typical bronze-orange so much desired in October-blooming Mums. L-2. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### PRINCESS ELSIE

†Here we have a glistening ivory-yellow. A new color and new form of the crested Anemone type. Very good grower. M-1. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### PRINCESS MARIE

†This new Anemone-flowered Korean Mum produces an excellent color combination. Its outer petals are bright cerise, haloing a clustered center of bronzy yellow. A very striking and effective hardy plant, free blooming through mid-October. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### PRINCESS NORA

†Rich lavender, very large, Anemone-flowered type unlike any other lavender shade we have so far noted in the Chrysanthemum family. M-2. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

#### The Time and Type of Mums We Ship

Young, healthy, growing plants in pots become established during winter and early spring for delivery in May and early June. They grow many times their present size during the summer and are ideal for spring planting.

#### Local Sales and Display in Autumn

Large, field-grown clumps, balled and burlapped, are available at the Nursery, cash and carry, at the flat rate of 75 cts. and \$1.00 each.

Visitors are always welcome to see and enjoy the gorgeous spectacle of acres of Mums blooming in our fields during October.

#### **CULTURE**

Chrysanthemums grow easily, pre-ferring a good rich soil. Any good garden soil enriched by the addition of manures or commercial fertilizers will produce excellent results. Pinch the plants back in June and again in late July to make them bushy. The application of a balanced fertilizer during late July will give maximum results.

At a time when Nature begins to relax and the glories of summer are at a low ebb, Hardy Chrysanthemums burst into a radiant display of color, beauty, and form. Resplendent in rainbowlike colors, some bold and vivid, some dainty and exquisite, they add a radiance and zest to autumn. Their beauty remains a delightfully

#### **KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS:**

E., early; M., medium; L., late.

#### RELATIVE HEIGHTS:

1, tall (2 ft.); 2, medium (18 in.); 3, low (1 ft.).



COURAGEOUS. 3 for \$1.35



CARNIVAL. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75



# Chrysanthemums

refreshing memory and a reminder of a glorious flower-filled year.

Set the plants out in the hardy border in good rich soil. Bushy plants will be developed if they are pinched back in June and July. A dressing of fertilizer in July is beneficial. Water frequently.

ALL MUMS: 3 of one variety for \$1.35; 10 of one variety for \$4.00, except where noted

#### LARGE-FLOWERING

**Algonquin.** Quantities of large, double, golden vellow flowers. E-1.

Autumn Flash. A new, outstanding, extralarge-flowering variety. With striking golden bronze flowers borne on robust, erect-growing stems and beautiful foliage, its appearance becomes exotic. M-2. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**Avalanche.** Considered one of the finest whites, bearing 4-inch flowers; perfect for cutting. Double. E-1.

Carnival. Recent introduction. Gleaming brilliant burnt-orange, double flower over 3 inches in diameter. An ideal variety for cutting. Dark green foliage to the ground. M-1. 65 cts. each; 3 for \$1.75.

Charles Nye. The outstanding 1946 introduction by the University of Chicago. Bright golden yellow, full double flowers 2½ inches across. Blooms are somewhat ball shaped and are carried in clusters at the top of sturdy branches 2½ feet tall. L-2.

Chippewa. A very large, sparkling dubonnet flower 4 inches across. Double. M-1.

Courageous. Well named is this new frost-resisting Mum. Vivid crimson-red color right through inclement weather until the season's end. Good-sized, double flowers. Habit strong and upright. L-2.

**Glowing Coals.** Bright, deep cherry-red with orange reverse. E-2.

**Lavender Belle.** There have been a few new "lavender" Chrysanthemums introduced in the past few years, but this new seedling is a deep brilliant rosy lavender. It proved to be the outstanding color in our field in October. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Lavender Lady. As voiced by many, the most distinct pure lavender ever offered. Double.

Mrs. P. S. du Pont III. One of the sturdiest and most prolific of its kind. Large, 4-inch flowers of soft peach, tinted with rosy salmon and fawn shades, overcast with a luminous sheen. Double. M-2.

**Pink Radiance.** Delightful profusion features this lovely pink introduction. So amazingly prolific that an armful of long-stemmed flowers from a single plant is not unusual. Easy to grow, too. M-2.

Yellow Avalanche. An excellent double rich golden yellow. E-1.

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## SPECIAL MUM OFFER

#### Large-Flowering Garden-Hardy Mums

6 plants, 1 each of 6 named varieties (Our selection, all different colors)
(Regular value \$3.00) for \$2.45

12 plants, 2 each of 6 named varieties (Our selection all different colors)
(Regular value \$6.00) for \$4.50

Varieties daggered  $(\dagger)$  are suitable for cutflowers.

Varieties starred  $(\star)$  are suitable for rock-gardens.

#### POMPON MUMS

**Butterball.** New. Double, ball-like, dark lemon-yellow flowers produced profusely on low, compact plants. E-3.

**Karl Reiche.** New. A very hardy and lovely pompon, showered with flowers of reddish rose. M-1.

**Lillian Doty.** Pale old-rose of true pompon type. A strong grower. M-1.

Red Doty. Dark red; habit similar to above. White Doty. Creamy white; habit similar to all Dotys. M-1.

#### SPECIAL POMPON MUM OFFER

5 plants, 1 each of above 5 varieties (Regular value \$2.50)

10 plants, 2 each of above 5 varieties (Regular value \$5.00) for \$3.75



GLOWING COALS. 3 for \$1.35 (Flowers are each  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches across)



A PINK CUSHION TYPE





LAVENDER BELLE. 3 for \$2.00

#### SUMMER AND SEPTEMBER-FLOWERING MUMS

All are Pompon Types

**Dean Kay Improved.** Double rose-pink flowers appear in July in great profusion, continuing until heavy frost. E-1.

My Lady. Fully double, very large, orangeyellow flowers from August till frost. E-1.

**Violet.** Fully double, having dahlia-like bloom of a good purple color. E-1.

#### SPECIAL OFFER of Summer and September-Flowering Mums

6 plants, 2 each of above 3 varieties for \$2.35

12 plants, 4 each of above 3 varieties for \$4.35

#### CUSHION MUMS

All are dwarf growing, about 1 foot high, and very free flowering from early September until late frosts.

**Harmony.** A combination of colors—first yellow, then strawberry-pink, then deep red. Unusual.

Lemon Cushion. A choice Iemon-yellow of

**Pink Cushion.** Showy, light pink flowers. **Red Cushion.** Deep bronzy red of a selected flowering type.

White Cushion. Delicate pink to pure white; good habit.

Yellow Cushion. Very brilliant yellow.

#### SPECIAL CUSHION MUM OFFER

6 plants, each of above 6 varieties for \$2.35

12 plants, 2 each of above 6 varieties for \$4.35

#### SPOON MUMS

These most unusual but gracefully formed Chrysanthemums are distinctly a garden treasure. The petals are tubular for most of their length, flattening out near the tips so that each petal really assumes the shape of a miniature spoon.

Orchid Spoon White Spoon Rose Spoon Yellow Spoon Red Spoon

#### SPECIAL SPOON MUM OFFER

5 plants, 1 each of 5 colors. . . . . For \$2.25

orders are accepted sub-ject to stock being unsold at the time order is received.



ORDERS FOR DORMANT LILACS RECEIVED AFTER APRIL 10 WILL BE SHIPPED IN FALL



NOTE: It should be remembered in connection with the color descriptions of Lilacs that the colors of all Lilacs are soft, and except for the whites, are a blending of colors rather than one pure tone. After transplanting it often requires two seasons or more for Lilacs to again produce their true color.

XCEPT for the rose, no flower is more closely wrapped up in the esteem and affection of the American people. No plant offers so much for so little old-time fragrance, wide range of color, profusion of bloom and hardiness.

#### Selected Varieties

Boussingault. Double. Red opening to pale

Captain Perrault. Double. Warm tones of

pink, lilac and rose. Charles Baltet. Double. Pinkish lavender, large compact clusters.

Etna. Deep claret-purple, almost red.

Jules Simon. Double. Bright rose buds opening into large trusses of delicate pink.

Kate Harlin. Single. White. Le Notre. Double. Deep violet. Mme. Lemoine. Double. One of the best

Violetta. Semi-double. Dark violet.

Above plants, 2 to 3 ft., \$3.00 each.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

ANY 3 LILACS . . . FOR \$7.75 ANY 6 LILACS . . . FOR 15.00 (YOUR SELECTION)

#### SYRINGA OBLATA DILATATA

One of the most beautiful and outstanding An introduction from Korea, covered Lilacs. An introduction from Korea, covered with large, picturesque, pale lilac clusters, of which the individual flowers are often as much as four-fifths of an inch long. The flowers appear ten days to two weeks earlier than those of the French Lilacs. In early spring and early autumn its handsome foliage displays a rich bronzy color. Every garden-lover should be in possession of this rare and valuable addition to the garden. 2 to 3 ft. \$4.50 each



# RHODODENDRON · Hybrids

ONTRARY to general belief, these hybrids do not need shade. They are easy to grow but do require an acid soil, free from all traces of lime. The most effective plantings are those in masses combining all colors for contrast and interest. The gorgeous flowers of these beloved broadleaved evergreens assume shades and tints to fit any color scheme and are suitable for large or small home plantings.

Rhododendron Hybrids are unquestionably among the most magnificent of flowering shrubs. Their broad, leathery foliage has a majestic dignity, which proves most effective during the cold drab months of winter.

Album novum. White. Caractacus. Red. Catawbiense album. White. Catawbiense grand. Purple. Ignatius Sargent. Crimson. Lady Grey Egerton. Blush-pink. Mrs. C. S. Sargent. Bright pink. Purpureum elegans. Lavender. Roseum elegans. Rose Roseum superbum. Pink.

12 to 15 in., \$4.50 each; 15 to 18 in., \$5.75 each

BOULE DE NEIGE. The finest dwarf white Rhododendron in existence. 12 to 15 in., \$5.75 each.

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#### BOBBINK & ATKINS Rhodo-Azalea Plant-Food

I specially good for the production of healthy, vigorous growth and blooms of Azalca, Rhododendron, and other acid-loving plants.

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An effective mass planting of Rhodo-dendron Hybrids in full sun. SPECIAL OFFERS OF RHODODENDRONS Any 3 plants 12 to 15 in. \$12.25 (Regular value \$13.50)

Any 6 plants 12 to 15 in.

\$24.50

(Regular value \$27.00)



KALMIA latifolia Mountain Laurel

# ed-Leaved Evergreen SHRUBS

ALL ITEMS SHOWN ON THIS PAGE MAY BE SELECTED AT OUR SALES GROUNDS IN EAST RUTHERFORD FOR IMMEDIATE PLANTING

WELL-PLANNED and well-planted garden is one that has year-round beauty. Although flowering plants contribute greatly to the interest of any garden, there is also the pleasing effect to be accomplished by using plants with enduring foliage and shrubs that produce fruits. These are to be found in the Broad-Leaved Evergreens, which thrive in sun or partial shade and are the most suitable for city gardens, foundation plantings, roof gardens, etc.

#### PLEASE READ DELIVERY TERMS ON PAGE 24

#### BERBERIS

Julianæ. Wintergreen Barberry. Yellow flowers and purple fruit. Strong, upright, hardy; makes a splendid hedge and in foundation planting is at home with rhododendrons and laurels. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

#### BUXUS

Sempervirens. Common Boxwood. Fine as a quick-growing border or low hedge, and so popular as to need no description. 8 to 10 in., 10 for \$5.50; 100 for \$45.00

Suffruticosa. True Dwarf Box. A dwarf. compact-growing variety that retains its tuft-like habit for many years. One of the finest plants we know of for edging. 4 to 6 in., 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$40.00.

#### ILEX · Holly

Holly in its many forms is one of the most decorative and attractive evergreens. In addition, all the species have interesting fruits or berries. They improve in beauty with age.

Aquifolium. English Holly. Rich green, sharp leaves which contrast well with brilliant berries, borne profusely even on small plants. 1 to 1½ ft., \$2.75 each.

Crenata convexa (bullata). Boxleaf Holly.
An outstanding companion for growing with rhododendrons, azaleas, etc., in foundation plantings. The beautiful glossy leaves are almost round in form. Grows to 2 feet. Will stand shearing. 12 to 15 in., \$3.00; 3 for \$8.00.

Crenata Fortunei. Excellent hardy Holly, faster growing than other listed varieties. has large shiny foliage and a distinct upright habit. Grows into a fine accent plant for foundation plantings. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Crenata rotundifolia. Roundleaf Holly. Shiny dark round leaves, retaining good color all year; black berries. In foundation plantings, hedges, or as specimens, it makes a fine showing. 1 to 1½ ft., \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50. Glabra. Inkberry. Its rich black-green foliage and plentiful shining black berries blend with rhododendrons, laurel, etc., in naturalistic plantings, creating pleasing texture interest. 1 to 1½ ft., \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50.

KALMIA latifolia. Mountain-Laurel. Grows well in partial shade. Plant it with pieris, rhododendron, various hollies and azaleas all acid-soil plants. 15 to 18 in., \$3.50 each.

PIERIS japonica. Japanese Andromeda: Lily-of-the-Valley Shrub. This is one of the loveliest shrubs in our entire collection, for there is not a season in the year when it does not attract attention. The graceful sprays of flower buds are formed in late summer and later the foliage assumes glorious red and bronzy tints. In early spring the buds open into creamy white flowers resembling lilies-of-the-valley. This shrub will develop into a lovely specimen if planted in half shade or full It grows to about 5 feet. 12 to 15 in., sun. It grows to about \$3.75 each; 3 for \$10.00.

PYRACANTHA coccinea Lalandi. Laland Firethorn. A spectacular evergreen shrub, having clusters of white flowers in late spring and garbed with orange-red berries in the A most effective shrub for wall or foundation planting. Pot-grown for easy, safe transplanting. 1½ ft., \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50.



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PIERIS japonica. Lily-of-the-Valley Shrub





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ECIDUOUS Azaleas have many advantages over other types of Azalea. They do not suffer from winter cold and wind as do the evergreen varieties, and are therefore long-lived, increasing in stature and beauty every year. They are ideally suited for mass planting or as individual speci-

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Mollis. Notable for its numerous delicate shades of yellow, terra-cotta, apricot and golden salmon. Hardy in this latitude and thrives under ordinary garden treatment, but prefers a partially protected spot. Useful under tall trees, in borders, or planted with rhododendrons 1 to 11/2 ft., 3.50 each.

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Schlippenbachi. Royal Azalea. This Azalea has two outstanding qualities for full plants.

ities: fine fall coloring and large, delicate rose-pink flowers in late May or early June. The autumn foliage is a combination of crimson and gold. One of the easiest to grow. 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$3.00 each.

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AZALEA mucronulatum

## Rare Ghent and Mollis Azalea Hybrids GHENT HYBRIDS

These aristocrats of the Old World extend the Azalea bloom period into early June. Their ultimate heights vary from 3 to 5 feet, with an equal spread.

Bouquet de Flore. Single flowers of bright salmon-pink in early June.

Coccinea Speciosa. Single flowers of vivid reddish orange. Tall grower.

1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

Daviesi. Creamy white, yellow blotch. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

Gloria Mundi. Single, bright orange. Medium grower. 1 to 1½ ft.,

Nancy Waterer. Single, pure lemon-yellow. Medium grower. 1 to 11/2 ft.,

Narcissiflora. Double, clear sulphur-yellow. Medium grower. 1 to 11/2 ft.,

1½ to 2 ft.

Pallas. Single. Orange-vermilion. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

Raphael de Smet. Double bright pink, tinted salmon-rose. Tall grower.

Sang de Gentbrugge. Single, deep orange-crimson. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to

#### MOLLIS HYBRIDS

Alphonse Lavallee. A fine orange-salmon. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft. Consul Ceresole. Red shaded orange. 1 to 1½ ft. Consul Pecher. Orange, shaded red. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft. Dr. Reichenbach. Rich salmon. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

Hortulanus Witte. Single, orange-yellow. Medium grower. 1 to 11/2 ft.,

Hugo Koster. Salmon-red. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

J. C. Van Tol. An excellent deep red of the type. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

Koster's Brilliant. Splendid orange-salmon. 1 to 1½ ft., 1½ to 2 ft.

W. E. Gumbleton. Single, nankeen-yellow. Medium grower. 1 to 1½ ft.,

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A well-established planting of Ghent and Mollis Azalea Hybrids



AZALEA, HORTULANUS WITTE

Hardy reen asaleas

OR garden usefulness there is, in our opinion, no plan to equal the hardy evergreen Azalea, especially when planted among other broad-leaved evergreens such as rhododendrons, kalmia,

ilex, andromeda and also coniferous types, which naturally protect them.

During the month of September, especially in a wet season when these plants are making a second growth and setting buds for the following year, their branches are full of sap. They should then be protected with a 2 or 3-inch mulch of peat moss or humus, to be followed later with a groundcover of hardwood leaves (not maple).

They cannot endure lime or lime soil, and require plenty of moisture and good drainage.

Amberglow. As the name implies, a very lovely double, deep rose-colored flower overlaid with salmon. Excellent dark green foliage. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

Amœna superba. Beautiful dark purple flowers of hose-in-hose form in May. Upright habit. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in., 12 to 15 in.

Benigiri. Produces a brilliant display of deep bright red flowers. Clean, upright habit; rapid grower. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

Crimson King. Large trusses of light crimson flowers with a salmon cast. Very showy and attractive. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

**Flame.** Single; red, suffused with copper shades. Strong, upright grower. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

A June-flowering Azalea having beautiful foliage and lovely large, hose-in-hose, deep pink flowers. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

Hinodegiri. Unquestionably the most popular of the scarlet types. Its brilliancy and beauty when in flower is never forgotten. Considered reasonably hardy. Rounded foliage throughout the year. Its bright scarlet flowers completely hide the foliage. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in., 12 to 15 in.

Kaempferi, The Torch Azalea. Flowers freely in colors from pink to fire-red, with fire-red predominating; hardy north of Boston; de-ciduous in the North and evergreen in the Flowers April and May. 12 to 15 in., 15 to 18 in.

Ledifolia (indica) alba. A spreading variety growing as broad as high. Its large, pure white, single flowers cover the plant in mid-May. 12 to 15 in., 15 to 18 in.

Maxwelli alba. There has long been need for a really hardy large-flowered white Azalea. This variety seems to fill most requirements and we are pleased to have these splendid plants to offer. Its single, snow-white flowers often measure 2 to 21/2 inches across. A fast grower with loose spreading habit, maintaining good green foliage throughout the winter. suited for any type of Azalea planting. 10 to 12 in., 12 to 15 in., 15 to 18 in.

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Poukhanensis. Native of southern Korea and desirable in every way. It is reliably hardy and has large single flowers of lilac-purple, which emit a mild pleasant fragrance. Forms a low, compact bush. 8 to 10 in., 10 to 12 in.

**Snow.** Large, pure white flowers borne profusely in clusters. Beautiful glossy green foliage. 8 to 10 in.

#### **ABOVE AZALEAS:**

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AZALEA Kaempferi

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AZALEA Hinodegiri

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L. sempervirens magnifica. Everblooming Honeysuckle. Large, coral trumpet flowers. Blooms almost all summer. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

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#### Vines for Ground-Covers

Euonymus rad. coloratus Hedera Helix Lonicera Halliana Lonicera Henryi



LONICERA Tellmanniana



BOSTON IVY. Ampelopsis tricuspidata Veitchi

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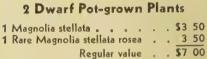
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M. floribunda. Japanese Flowering Crab. A glorious sight in early May with its contrasting pink buds and white flowers. Yellow fruits. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.50 each.

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(Acer palmatum atropurpureum)

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PLATANUS orientalis

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LABURNUM. GOLDEN-CHAIN TREE



JAPANESE RED MAPLE



FLOWERING CRABAPPLE



# DECIDUOUS Howering Shrubs

ABELIA grandiflora. Glossy Abelia. A lovely shrub bearing quantities of white and pink arbutus-like flowers all summer. About 3 feet. Recommended for sunny or partly shaded situations. Pot-grown, \$1.50 each.

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A. Schumanni. Flowers are larger, brighter, and more freely produced than those of the Grandiflora. Pinkish lilac, with a yellow throat. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. Pot-grown, \$1.50 each.

ARONIA melanocarpa. Purple Chokeberry. Vigorous shrub with showy spikes of white blooms in May. Purple-black or black berries in fall and reddish foliage. \$1.50 each.

BERBERIS Thunbergi. Japanese Barberry. A fine hedge plant having spray-like, spiny branches thickly covered with small leaves that turn to a beautiful red in autumn. During the winter months, the bright scarlet fruit is very showy. Will serve as a living barrier on corners of property. 1½ to 2 ft., 10 for \$5.00; 100 for \$40.00.

B. Thunbergi atropurpurea. Redleaf Barberry. Same as above but with showy bright red leaves. Very colorful. 12 to 15 in., 10 for \$4.00.

**CALYCANTHUS** floridus. Strawberry Shrub. Also known as Sweet-Shrub. The dark red flowers appear in early spring and have a pleasing spicy fragrance. A handsome ornamental shrub. \$1.50 each.

**COTONEASTER horizontalis.** Rock Cotoneaster. Delightful, dwarf shrub of trailing habit, fine for rockeries. It is covered with brilliant red berries in autumn and winter. Pot-grown, \$1.50 each;3 for \$4.00; 10 for \$11.00.



ENKIANTHUS campanulatus. \$2.75 each



CALYCANTHUS floridus. Strawberry Shrub, \$1.50 each

### **Beautify and Improve Your Home Grounds**

THE members of this large family of hardy plants adapt themselves readily to most soils and situations and are found useful for many purposes. Excellent for screen planting, hedges, borders, etc. To insure success it is advisable at planting time to cut the branches of these plants back at least one half. This treatment will help the plant to become established and flower earlier than if allowed to remain as received.

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ENKIANTHUS campanulatus. Redvein Enkianthus. Handsome shrub with graceful, orange-red, pendulous flowers of bell-like form. Rich green foliage turns brilliant red in autumn. We highly recommend this shrub for any location. Ultimate height about 5 feet. 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.75 each.

FORSYTHIA intermedia spectabilis. Showy Border Forsythia. The Forsythia has become so popular that we scarcely need to describe it. This variety is particularly desirable because it surpasses all others in profusion of bloom and vigorous growth. Foliage very dark green. \$1.50 each.

HYDRANGEA hortensis, Blue. Blue Hydrangea. Great heads of blue flowers that create a spectacular effect. Blooms appear in July and August. Does well in northern gardens and at the seashore. Grows 3 to 4 feet. \$2.50 each.

**H.** paniculata grandiflora. Pee-gee Hydrangea. A popular shrub with huge conical heads of flowers that turn pink as they age. The dried flowers are often used as winter bouquets. Blooms in August. Excellent for borders or as single specimens. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.50 each.



KOLKWITZIA amabilis. Beauty-Bush. \$1.50 each

Flowering shrubs deserve far more consideration for general landscape planting. Everywhere we see solid plantings of small evergreens, frequently overdone and monotonous. Charming combination plantings of the better flowering shrubs are less expensive and oftimes more permanent. Did you ever try planting a group of Forsythia with Azalea mucronulatum (Dahurian Azalea) in the foreground? They bloom at the same time in very early spring and the combination of yellow and "violet-blue" is striking.

**KERRIA japonica fl. pl.** An unusually attractive shrub with showy golden yellow, double flowers in May and June. The smooth, bright green branches are especially effective in winter. Grows 3 to 4 feet. \$1.75 each.

**KOLKWITZIA** amabilis. Beauty-Bush. Long, curving branches with little bunches of pale pink and white flowers in May and nice foliage all season. Grows to 6 feet. \$1.50 each.

Large, glossy dark green foliage; one of the most popular hedge plants. Thrives in almost any situation and retains its foliage until late winter. 2 to 3 ft., 10 for \$2.00; 100 for \$16.00. 3 to 4 ft., 10 for \$3.00; 100 for \$25.00.

LONICERA fragrantissima. Fragrant Upright Honeysuckle. A beautiful almost evergreen shrub, with very fragrant flowers which appear before the leaves. \$1.50 each.

**L. Yunnanensis.** A new very hardy Chinese species with attractive glossy evergreen foliage. Fine for planting as a hedge, or among other evergreen shrubs in the foundation planting. A cross between nitida and pileata. \$2.50 each.

PHILADELPHUS coronarius. Sweet Mock-Orange. Fragrant, pure white blooms in May or June. Grows 8 to 9 feet. \$1.50 each.

P. grandiflorus. Big Mock-Orange. Very large, scentless white flowers. Grows 10 feet. \$1.50 each.

P. virginalis. Virginal Mock-Orange. Immense, fragrant, double white flowers in large clusters. Blooms in May, June and fall. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.50 each.

POLYGONUM amplexicaule rubrum. Mountain Fleece-Flower. This is truly a different and unusual herbaceous shrub, displaying a shower of striking red fleecy flowers during September on stalks or branches about 5 or 6 feet in height. The flower racemes are pendulous and break from each leaf axil, creating a profusion of bloom amidst fine verdant foliage. Being deciduous, the branches and stalks freeze back to the ground each winter but more and stronger new cane-like stalks come up again. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.00. Postpaid.



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## DECIDUOUS FLOWERING SHRUBS

Plant Flowering Shrubs in Either Spring or Fall



MANY ADDED ATTRACTIONS MAY BE SEEN AT OUR SALES OFFICE IN EAST RUTHERFORD

\$1.50 each

SPIREA, Anthony Waterer. Flat heads of rosy pink flowers all summer. Dwarf nature and attractive foliage. \$1.50 each.

S. Vanhouttei. Van Houtte Spirea. A graceful pendulous shrub of 6 feet. Pure white flowers. Fine subject for hedging. \$1.50 each.

SYMPHORICARPOS racemosus. berry. A popular hardy shrub, or bushy form, having pink flowers in summer, followed by large, waxy white berries in autumn, lasting well into the winter. \$1.50 each.

VIBURNUM Burkwoodi. Fragrant Vibur**num.** Very fragrant and semi-evergreen, hardy and vigorous. Waxy pinkish white flowers. Brilliant fall coloring when grown in dry locations. Pot-grown plants, \$2.50 each;

WEIGELA, Eva Rathke. A large shrub with very thick, sturdy stems. Trumpet-shaped, dark crimson flowers appear in late spring. Their strikingly rich color has made it very popular. \$1.50 each.

W. rosea. Extra-large, rose-colored flowers in May. Plant grows rather broad and has attractive foliage. \$1.50 each.



VIBURNUM BURKWOODI. \$2.50 each

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We invite you to visit our Sales Ground in East Rutherford where you may inspect our fine collection of fruit, both large and small. The trees can be made ready in a few moments to take with you, thereby doing away with the usual loss of time between digging and planting.

The small fruit may also be ordered through the mail.

#### SMALL FRUITS GRAPES

The Leading Foursome

Selected for their hardiness, vigor, and productiveness. Berries tender and juicy. Bunches compact and large. Adaptable to all soils.

Caco. (Red.) Somewhat earlier than Concord.

60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50. Concord. (Blue-Black.) 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50. Golden Muscat. (Golden Yellow.) \$1.00 each;

Niagara. (White.) Ripens with Concord. 60 cts. each; 3 for \$1.50.

#### RASPBERRIES

Chief. (Red.) A good hardy, prolific variety. Unusually healthy and vigorous. Berry firm and of fine flavor. 6 for \$1.35.

Cumberland. (Black.) A very large, flavorful

Black Raspberry. Heavy bearer and hardy. 6 for \$1.35.

Indian Summer Everbearing. (Red.) This new Everbearing Raspberry has excellent flavor and extra large fruit. Produces two crops a season. 6 for \$1.75.

#### **BLUEBERRIES**

Tangy . Tempting . Tasty

In addition to bearing large crops of tasty berries, they are easy to grow, also useful as ornamental shrubs in other plantings. They require the same culture as Azaleas and Rhododendrons. For cross-pollination use two or more varieties to assure best results.

We offer three varieties as follows:

EARLY MIDSEASON LATE

11/2-2-ft. plants \$1.75 each

**BLUEBERRY SPECIAL OFFER** 

plants, one of each season. \$4.50 Shipment by R. R. Express

East Rutherford, N. J.

#### FRUIT TREES ARE FOR LOCAL SALES ONLY

Larger Specimen Bearing-Age Trees \$5.00 and up

APPLE CHERRY PEACH PEAR PLUM QUINCE Priced from \$1.75 to \$3.50

DWARF APPLE TREES \$2.50 and up



WE ALSO HAVE AT OUR SALES-**GROUND IN E. RUTHERFORD** 

TREES American Sweet Chestnut English Walnut Fig, Brown Turkey

SMALL FRUIT **Blackberries** Currants Gooseberries Strawberries



RASPBERRIES INDIAN SUMMER EVERBEARING

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## A Visit to our nursery sales and display grounds on paterson ave., in EAST RUTHERFORD, SHOULD PROVE TO BE PLEASANT, PROFITABLE and INFORMATIVE ...

## Beautify and Improve Your Home Grounds

Most of us realize the importance of Landscape Beauty in relation to our Homes, our Streets, Municipal Parks, Memorial Parks, Institutions and Industrial Sites everywhere.

It is so very important to have the right tree, the right shrub and the right plant in the right place. It takes some imagination to visualize the ultimate beauty and effect that one creates when planting suitable sizes. In all of these matters, our trained horticulturists are here to help you and to advise in detail what, when, and where to plant. We therefore invite you to come to the nursery to see the plants; most of them will be ready for you to take right along home during



A well-established planting showing good Landscape Composition with Taxus and other Evergreen Trees, Azaleas, Flowering Trees, Perennials and the open lawn. Trees, Shrubs and Plants not only grow in stature and beauty but always increase your property value. Do you know of any other permanent investment yielding such handsome returns?

Low, slow-growing plants such as the upright and spreading Yews (Taxus), Narrow-leaved Hollies, Lily-of-the-Valley Shrubs (Andromeda), Evergreen Azaleas, and Ground Covers such as Pachysandra and Myrtle near the home.

#### HEADQUARTERS FOR

## Taxus ... Uews

It may be truthfully said the most useful and decorative slow-growing evergreens for almost every place and purpose are the Yew trees. They are extremely hardy and their rich, lustrous shades of green never fade in winter or summer. Many years ago we had the vision to grow Taxus in great quantities, so today in our Nurseries near Freehold, N. J., is one of the world's greatest plantings of Taxus of all kinds. They are being brought to our Sales Grounds and Home Office here in East Rutherford for your inspection. We offer varieties like Taxus cuspidata, both upright and spreading, T. media, T. Wardi, T. densa, T. Hicksi and T. Browni, ranging in height from 1 to 3 feet, depending on variety. It may be truthfully said the most useful and decorative 3 feet, depending on variety

We offer the following smaller sizes which may be shipped by Express or special arrangements made for trucking to distant points:

Taxus cuspidata capitata. Upright Japanese Yew. Excellent to accent corners and outstanding for hedge or specimens. 1½ to 2 ft. \$4.75 each.

T. cuspidata nana. Dwarf Japanese Yew. A very low and irregular-growing variety. 12 to 15 in. \$4.25 each.

**T. cuspidata. Spreading Japanese Yew.** A very desirable low evergreen with a spreading habit. 12 to 15 in. \$2.75 each.

#### SELECT YOUR OWN EVERGREEN TREES SHRUBS, and ROSE BUSHES

It is impossible to list all the plants we grow. The larger trees, specimen evergreens and shrubs that require trans-planting with a large ball of earth, are mainly for local sales; it is obvious why it is not practical or economical to trans-port them any distance by rail.

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Our "Balled and Burlapped" Evergreens . . . large broadleaf Evergreen and Deciduous Shrubs . . . Rhododendrons and Azaleas . . . large Fruit Trees . . Vines . . . Perennials . . . are usually ready for "Cash and Carry" sales at proper planting seasons. Well-informed salesmen are ready to assist you to make your garden a part of your home life. Our business is not only to produce good plants but to advise you how to use them. For the benefit of those who cannot visit us weekdays, we are open Sunday 9:00 to 4:30, during the planting seasons.



Our enlarged Sales Grounds and New Field Office to serve the many patrons in this great metropolitan area who make it a habit to motor to the Nursery for Quality Plants for Permanent Landscape Beauty

#### **OUR LOCATION AND HOW TO REACH US**

When motoring from the Oranges, Montclair, Nutley, Glen Ridge, Bloomfield, etc. take N. J. Route S-3 and cross the Passaic River to reach our home office and grounds on Paterson Avenue in East

Rutherford. From Newark, take the River Road or Route 17.

Motoring from Englewood, Teaneck, Tenafly, Hackensack, Ridgewood, Saddle River, Paterson, etc. is very easy via main highways as mapped. Highway signs to Rutherford and East Rutherford,

via Paterson Ave., are at all intersections.

From Westchester County, Connecticut, New York City, Long Island, etc. use the George Washington Bridge, Lincoln Tunnel, or Holland Tunnel via N.J. Routes 3, S-3, 6 or 17, as the case may be. Follow the East Rutherford highway signs, especially when leaving routes 6 or S-3 before getting to Clifton and Passaic. We are about 9 miles from the Bridge or Tunnels.



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